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JEYPORE'S MAHARAJAH.

He Is Preparing to Visit In State the Chicago World's Fair.

CHICAGO, June 2.—It is now positively known that the Maharajah of Jeypore is coming to the World's Fair. His Majesty cabled the fact of his intention to Deputy Commissioner V. W. Lake, and directed Mr. Lake to meet him in Carlsbad, Germany, to accompany him to Chicago. Mr. Lake at once left for New York, whence he will sail for Europe on the Campania, and expects to get back to Chicago before the end of the present month. The Sultan is famous for his great wealth, and is said to possess the finest collection of diamonds, rubies and pearls in the world. He will bring a retinue of ten servants and two English physicians, whom he carries with him to look after his health.

ABERDEEN'S DEPARTURE.

The Arrangements of the New Governor-General Largely Depend on Those of Earl Derby.

LONDON, June 2.—The Earl of Aberdeen stated to-day that he would probably start for Canada in August next, to assume the duties of Governor-General, but that much would depend upon such arrangements as Earl of Derby should see fit to make.

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CAPITAL NOTES.

A Circumstance Which May Seriously Affect Canadian Cattle Exportation to England.

Nanaimo Infantry Appointment—Change in the Bisley Team—Crime on the Decrease.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, June 2.—There is bad news for the cattle exporters to-day. The High Commissioner cables that an animal ex-steamship Lake Winnipeg, was landed at Liverpool with symptoms of pulmonary trouble. The Imperial veterinary surgeons decided to make a microscopical examination of the lungs.

Nanaimo Infantry Co.: To be captain, Lieut. Emil A. Praeger, vice McGregor, resigned.

Alaska Boundary Commissioner King arrived here to-day. He returns to Alaska in August. During the next few weeks he will be engaged running the boundary to Passamaquody bay.

Another change has taken place in the Bisley team. Bishop of Halifax has resigned on account of illness in his family. Dover, of Truro, takes his place.

Two new superintendents and two inspectors of the Mounted police are gazetted.

The criminal statistics show that crime had decreased in Canada.

CABLE NEWS.

To Visit the Lepers.

PARIS, June 2.—Monk Dom Saunton, who has a high reputation in the medical world, is about to start, with the approval of the Pope and credentials from the French Government, to visit the leprosy hospitals throughout the world in order to secure the general adoption of the most efficacious treatment of the disease.

Italian Pension Law Passed.

ROME, June 2.—The Italian Senate to-day, by a vote of 151 to 141, adopted the pension law, regarding which there has for some time been a serious controversy, which had some influence in bringing about the recent cabinet crisis, the bill being strongly supported by the Government.

Marriage of a Diplomat's Daughter.

BERLIN, June 2.—The wedding of Mary Phelps, daughter of William Walter Phelps, of New Jersey, to Dr. Von Rothenburg, secretary in the Department of the Interior, occurred yesterday morning in the yellow room of the American legation. Only twenty-four guests were present, including Chancellor Von Caprivi and other notables in official and private life. The wedding breakfast followed, and later the young people started on their wedding tour. Many beautiful presents were sent the bride by political and social friends in America, including Whitelaw Reid, Joseph Pulitzer, ex-Speaker Reed, Mrs. Blaine and Mark Twain.

Floods in Galicia.

VIENNA, June 2.—Great damage has been done by extensive floods in Eastern Galicia and eighteen persons have been drowned.

The Pope's New Encyclical.

ROME, June 2.—The Pope has sent to the German Emperor the first copy of his new encyclical regarding social conditions.

Excited Czechs.

PRAGUE, June 2.—The excitement over the antagonism on the part of the young Czechs towards the Germans still continues. The young Czechs have decided to withdraw from the diet, and it is reported that if the present disorder continues a state of siege will be proclaimed by the Austrian authorities. A Czechs' newspaper has been suppressed on account of its seditious tone.

AMERICAN NEWS.

World's Fair Profits.

CHICAGO, June 2.—Director Charles H. Schwab, of the World's Fair, says that the exposition has cleared a quarter of a million dollars on the month of May, and as a result of a general reduction of forces, to begin next Monday, a better result is anticipated for the month of June. Mr. Schwab says the receipts for the month of May have averaged $24,000 daily.

Journalistic Departure.

NEW YORK, June 2.—During the recent congress in Chicago of the press men and women of the world a paper was presented by Hon. J. A. Sleicher, editor-in-chief of the Mail and Express, suggesting that prominent newspapers should issue both Republican and Democratic editions, giving the news of each political party in the edition assigned to that party, and conducting the editorial page in the same manner. This suggestion, which was vigorously discussed at the congress as a decidedly novel innovation, is, it is said, to be experimented upon in this city. According to reports in Newspaper Row, the New York Herald, after it is installed in its new home, may issue Republican and Democratic editions. The evening adjunct of the Herald, the Telegram, is Independent in politics, and consequently if the scheme is carried into effect the novel spectacle will be witnessed of a Republican, a Democratic and an Independent newspaper being issued from under the same roof and being controlled by the same general management.

Confidence Restored.

TACOMA, June 2.—Entire confidence is restored in the city. All the depositors have ceased drawing and the majority were depositing again this afternoon. The banks have ample funds. Bank Examiner Clary has arrived and is in possession of the Merchants' National bank for the Comptroller of the Currency. The decision on the Tacoma Light and Water bonds has also gone far to restore confidence. As soon as the bonds are sold C. B. Wright will build his road from Eastern Washington into Tacoma. This road will connect in the eastern part of the state with the C., B. & Q. extension. C. B. Wright telegraphed to-day that he would wire a quarter of a million as his preliminary deposit for the $1,750,000 of water bonds.

Death of an Authoress.

BOSTON, Mass, June 2.—Mrs. H. B. Goodwin, author of the "Wingods Series" of "Dorothy Gray" and many essays on art and educational matters, died last night.

Guilty of Manslaughter.

NEW YORK, June 2.—The jury in the trial of Sarah B. Chase for the murder of Maggie Manzoni to-night, after deliberating for two and a half hours, brought in a verdict of guilty of manslaughter in the first degree. The prisoner was taken back to the tombs and will be brought up for sentence by Judge Martin on Friday next.

Wrecked in Thunder Bay.

ALPENA, Mich., June 2.—The steel steamer Corsica collided with an unknown schooner 115 miles off Thunder Bay Island, this morning at daylight, in a fog. The schooner was cut in two and went to the bottom instantly. Her entire crew were lost. The Corsica had no time to wait for the rescue of any of the survivors who might be floating around in the wreckage, as her bow was stove in and the water was pouring in faster than her pumps would throw it out. The Corsica was run on the beach in Thunder Bay, just below Ossinikee. The schooner's disappearance was so sudden that not even her name, color or size could be made out by those on the steamer.

HOME RULE.

Irish Members Think Government is Conceding Too Much Without Consulting Them.

Sir William Harcourt's Protest Against Union Arguments—Amendments Defeated.

LONDON, June 2.—In the debate in the House of Commons on an amendment offered by Mr. E. W. Byrne, Conservative M.P., for Southwest Essex, the Irish members showed for the first time that they thought the Government was conceding too much without consulting them. Mr. Byrne's amendment was intended to prevent the Irish Legislature from enacting laws in respect to the use of arms by armed associations for drilling purposes.

Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain said that to permit such use would be tantamount to permitting the formation of armed forces which might be improperly employed.

Chief Secretary Morley said that the Government would accept an amendment debarring the Irish Legislature from permitting the use of arms for military purposes.

Thomas Sexton, Nationalist for North Kerry, spoke in opposition to the proposed amendment and expressed the opinion that, in regard to such an amendment, as also the amendment of the previous evening forbidding the organization of a national constabulary, under Irish authority, representative Irish opinion ought to be allowed so speak before the Government replied.

The Byrne amendment was rejected by a vote of 283 to 245.

Colonel Lockwood, Conservative for West Essex, moved that the Irish Legislature be prohibited from dealing in the same, or purchasing arms and explosives.

The amendment was rejected, after a short debate, by a vote of 294 to 254.

William Broderick, Conservative for the Guildford division of Surrey, proposed that the Irish Legislature be prohibited from dealing with the powers and privileges of the armed forces stationed in Ireland.

His motion evoked a spirited protest from Sir William Harcourt, chancellor of the exchequer.

The intention of the Opposition, Sir William said, apparently was to treat the future Legislature of Ireland as a monster of folly and crime. Such a presumption was without excuse and would be quite unworthy of Parliament. The Dublin Legislature would be no more likely to interfere with the army in the exercise of its duties than to promote the manufacture of dynamite. The amendment in question could not be contemplated in justice to the Irish people.

The amendment was defeated on division by 289 to 249.

Before the consideration of the Home Rule bill was begun to-day Herbert Gardner, president of the Board of Agriculture, in reply to a question, said that after the importation of Canadian cattle was prohibited 5,119 head were landed. Of this number but one was suspected of having pleuro-pneumonia.

BIRTHDAY HONORS.

Chief Justice Strong, of Canada, Knighted—Numerous Newspaper Men Come In for Preferment.

LONDON, June 2.—The usual list of titles bestowed on fortunate commoners in honor of Her Majesty's Birthday shows that a phenomenal proportion has fallen to gentlemen connected with the Press. W. J. Ingram, Liberal M.P. for Boston and eldest surviving son of the founder of the Illustrated London News, is created a baronet, and John Leng, editor and managing proprietor of the Dundee Advertiser, also Liberal M.P. for Dundee; Gilzan Reid, first president of the Institute of Journalists; J. R. Robinson, editor of the London Daily News, the leading Liberal organ; E. R. Russell, editor of the Liverpool Post, and John Tenniel, the well-known artist of the comic paper Punch, are all knighted. Dr. Charles Cameron, M.P. for Glasgow, owner of the Glasgow Mail and well-known as the successful advocate of sixpenny telegrams, was made a baronet. Sir Hussy Vivian, Liberal M.P. for Swansea, where a statue was erected to him on account of his services in building up the place, is raised to the peerage. He is not connected with the press. Chief Justice Strong, of Canada, is also knighted. Senator Carling, of Canada, has been made a Knight of the Grand Cross of St. Michael and St. George.

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SEALING MATTERS.

Correspondence Between Great Britain and Russia Respecting an Agreement to Prohibit.

The Convention and M. Schischkines Exceptions to Some of Its Provisions.

LONDON, June 2.—The Foreign Office has issued a blue book which contains the correspondence concerning the agreement between Great Britain and Russia as to the protection of Russia's sealing interests in the Northern Pacific Ocean or Behring Sea. Among the contents of the book are:

A minute of the Canadian Privy Council, made last December, and forwarded in January by the Governor-General.

Communications of Lord Rosebery, British Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, to Sir Robert Morier, British ambassador to Russia.

Morier's communication to Privy Councillor Schischkine, acting for M. De Giers, as Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs.

Schischkine's reply to Morier.

Rosebery's and Morier's long replies to Schischkine.

The Russian Minister's rejoinder.

Rosebery's second reply.

Draft of an agreement and notes exchanged embodying the proposals while replacing the form of the agreement.

The original contention of Russia was that her cruisers should have the exclusive right to police the seas in question and to convey British trespassers to Petropaulovski, a port of Asiatic Russia, where the cases should be adjudicated upon. Lord Rosebery declined to agree to such proceedings, and suggested that British vessels caught trespassing be conveyed to Yokohama, where the cases should be adjudicated on by a British consular court. Eventually the powers agreed that the trespassers should be delivered to a British cruiser or to the nearest British authorities on land, Great Britain at the same time undertaking to bring them speedily to trial.

The text of the agreement submitted to Privy Councillor Schischkine on May 12, 1893, is as follows:

1. During the year ending on Dec. 31st, 1893, the British Government shall prohibit British subjects from killing or hunting seals within the following limits: (a) Within a zone ten marine miles, following the sinuosities of the Russian coasts which border Behring Sea, and any other part of the North Pacific ocean. (b) Within a zone of thirty marine miles round the Komandorsky Islands and round the Robbin Islands and Tuline.

2. The British Government shall cooperate with British cruisers in preventing British subjects from killing or hunting seals within the aforesaid limits.

3. British vessels engaged in killing or hunting seals within the aforesaid limits may be seized by either British or Russian cruisers; but, if seized by the latter, the British shall be forthwith handed over at Yokohama or at any port in British possessions, or to the commander of any British warship, for trial by the British authorities.

4. The Russian Government engage to limit to 30,000 the number of seals that may be killed in the whole year of 1893 upon and around the islands of Komandorsky and Tuline.

5. It is agreed that a British agent may, when desired by the British Government, visit the islands, confer there with the authorities and enquire into the working and the result of the present agreement.

6. The present agreement shall in no wise affect the facilities hitherto accorded at Russian ports to British vessels regarding refuge, repairs, obtaining supplies and other matters wherefor they may properly require access.

7. It is understood that the present agreement relates solely to the year 1893. It has consequently no retroactive force or effect, more especially as regards British vessels captured previously by Russian cruisers."

M. Tchischkine replies on the 22nd, accepting the draft of the agreement, but expressing a preference that it may be embodied in an exchange of notes, as the draft, as it stood, was too concisely worded, and therefore left room for a misunderstanding, and perhaps for complications. The Russian government, he says, would not agree to the draft without a few reservations designed to safeguard their freedom of judgment in the dispute.

"It is understood," he continues, "that the agreement leaves intact all the rights of Russia in her territorial waters, our reservations being the following:

1. In consenting to hand over to the British authorities English ships sealing in the prohibited zone, we do not wish to prejudge generally the question of the right of a power to extend its territorial jurisdiction in special cases beyond the waters properly called territorial.

2. The Russian Government desire to preserve complete liberty of action, either by the method of prohibitive zone, entirely to prohibit in the future pelagic sealing or to regulate it in the open sea.

3. The present arrangement cannot be considered in any wise a precedent, and is looked on by us essentially as a provisional arrangement, intended to meet present circumstances.

Mr. Scheschkine closes his note with an expression of hope that the British Government will consider the undertaking as established henceforward for the present year.

Lord Rosebery in his reply, dated the 29th, accepts the arrangement for the current year, and states that he will take immediate steps to carry it into operation. Regarding the reservations made by the Government, he says that they need not be stated or discussed at present; but it may be mutually understood that the rights and the position of each power remain unaffected by this provisional agreement.

TORONTO TOPICS.

Honors for the Heroes of Ridgeway—Ontario Mining Association—Death of an Old Artilleryman.

TORONTO, June 2.—(Special.)—To-day being the 27th anniversary of the Fenian invasion, the survivors of the Canadian volunteers who saw service at that time assembled to-day and marched in procession to Queen's Park and there, after services appropriate to the occasion had been held, they decorated with flowers the monument erected in memory of their comrades who fell twenty-seven years ago at Ridgeway.

There is a movement on foot to form an organization to be called the Ontario Mining Association. The object of the organization is to promote and develop the mining industries of the province.

George Cook, late sergeant-major of the Royal Artillery, who came to Canada with the English troops at the time of the Trent affair, died from injuries received from falling down stairs at his house.

CANADIAN.

Resolution to Boycott the World's Fair on Account of Sabbath Desecration.

[Special to the COLONIST.]

Canal Tolls Removal.

KINGSTON, June 2.—According to information gleaned the removal of the canal tells against Ogdensburg has not resulted in diverting trade to any appreciable extent, if at all, from the Canadian to the United States side.

Protest Against Sunday Opening.

CORNWALL, June 2.—The Montreal Conference of the Methodist Church, meeting here, adopted the resolution moved by Rev. Dr. Douglas, of Montreal, censuring the railway companies and the managers of the World's Fair for desecrating the Sabbath, and suggesting that true Christians should boycott the World's Fair and that the Methodist Publishing House's book exhibit be withdrawn as a protest against the violation of the fourth commandment.

Baie des Chaleurs Railway Sued.

MONTREAL, June 2.—Henry McFarlane, of Toronto, is suing the Baie des Chaleurs Railway Co. for a balance of $250,000 he claims is due to him for work done, and $200,000 damages.

Heavy Suit Compromised.

CALGARY, June 2.—The suit of Loughead v. Praid has been compromised by plaintiffs accepting $265,000 in full for a $300,000 judgment.

Fifty Years City Clerk.

KINGSTON, June 2.—Michael Flanagan to-day completed half a century as city clerk, and was given six months leave of absence and a purse of $500.

A Hundred and Fourteen Years.

QUEBEC, June 2.—Francois Gauthier has just died near St. Charles, Que., at the age of 114 years.

The Kingston Mail Robbery.

KINGSTON, June 2.—Montreal and Toronto detectives are here working on the mail robbery case. Inspector Jones states that the amount stolen so far reached $258. Only fifteen letters were opened and the contents of eleven carried away. There were forty registered letters in the bag.

Sickness at Grosse Isle.

QUEBEC, June 2.—There is evidently a good deal of sickness on Grosse Isle, according to the reports here, which state that nineteen cases of diphtheria exist.

OTTAWA, June 2.—The Deputy Minister of Agriculture has received a message from Dr. Montizambert, at Grosse Isle, that two deaths occurred on Sunday and three on Monday from diphtheria, there being ten cases of diphtheria and five of measles in the hospital, all steerage children and young adults. All the cases are fairly hopeful.

AN EXPERT IN FORESTRY

Here to Study the Flora of Vancouver Island—Interesting Family History.

Monsieur Maurice L. de Vilmorin, of Paris, a noted French authority on horticulture and forestry arrived over on the Sound boat last evening, and is staying at the Driard. He is making the present trip for the express purpose of studying the flora of the West, and expects to find Vancouver island a most interesting field. His investigations will commence to-day at Beacon Hill Park.

Monsieur Vilmorin was one of those appointed as judges of awards at the World's Fair, but owing to the disagreement between the Fair managers and foreign commissioners, the latter have withdrawn all the exhibits from their countries from the competition, and hence there will be nothing for him to do in that line. He says: "I have completed my work at Chicago; that is, I have got almost everything started and running satisfactorily, and after a short tour through this part of the country I shall return to Paris. I am in the wholesale seed business there, our firm being known as Vilmorin, Andrieux et Cie. We have a large trade with all the principal countries in the world, and employ about 250 clerks, the same number of warehouse porters and 750 laborers in our fields. It is impossible for me to say how old our house is. Over 100 years ago the business belonged to Andrieux, my great grandfather marrying his daughter and becoming a member of the firm, and we have retained the firm name ever since. The business had been carried on by predecessors of Andrieux for I don't know how long. I came out to the West to see your forests, forestry being a favorite study of mine. During the Centennial exhibition I spent several weeks in the West, principally in California, and then made a voyage to the South Sea Islands to study the forests there. My grandfather was the founder of the famous Government forestry school at Les Barres, about eighty miles south of Paris. In 1821 he secured tree seeds from every country in the world, and an especially large collection from America, particularly oaks, and planted them on a very large domain owned by him, which was mostly poor land. In time they grew into a famous grove, and about twenty-five years ago, shortly after he died, the French Government bought that part of it devoted to exotics, consisting of about 200 acres, and this is now known as the National School of Forestry. The French horticultural exhibit at the World's Fair is about four times as large as that of any other foreign country."

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NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Vancouver Carpenters' Union Protest —Judge Bole on Naturalization Law.

Westminster Promised a New Drill Shed—Salmon Run Improving Every Day.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, June 2.—The store of C. E. Tisdale, gunsmith, Cordova street, was burglarized on Thursday morning. The thieves smashed the windows in the back door, crawled through the "burglar-proof" bars, and after picking out two expensive rifles, a shotgun and a combined shotgun or rifle, a number of Colt's revolvers, and a score or so of pocket knives, made their escape.

R. E Leonard and Miss Elizabeth Watson were married in St. Paul's church yesterday. The service was choral. Rev. E. P. Flewelling performed the ceremony.

At a meeting of the Council of South Vancouver a letter was received from the Government saying that, according to promise, it would grant an additional $3,000 for the improvement of roads through lot 301. T. M. Thomas' contracts for cutting hills at the North Arm and New Westminster roads and ditching and draining on the North Arm road, $2,895, was accepted. Mr. Thomas' contract for graveling Centre road, $189 per cubic yard, was also accepted. The telephone company refused to move their poles on Westminster road, which the South Vancouver Council claim were wrongfully in place there.

The Kanaka Bar Gold Dredging Co. are to commence operations soon at Kanaka bar near the C.P.R. cantilever bridge. Their plan is to seek the gold at the bottom of the Fraser river in the vicinity by means of a patient centrifugal pump. The company are confident of big returns. Among the trustees are Messrs. R. A. Anderson, W. H. Goodwin and C. S. Bailey. The venture is occasioning considerable talk and interest in this city.

Miss Swan is severing her connection with the hospital, after four years of faithful and efficient service.

The Brotherhood of Carpenters have protested against Contractor McGillivray's alleged keeping of his men at work ten hours a day, contrary to agreement.

George Butler, C Foley, J. Brown and Aaron Uptaker, were naturalized by Judge Bole yesterday. His Honor said, in reference to wholesale naturalization, that personally he had no desire to have the country flooded with foreigners of an objectionable class, dut he had to carry out the law. The only remedy was to have the law changed.

Miss Jean Macfie, formerly assistant superintendent in the Grace Hospital, Detroit, took charge of the Vancouver Hospital yesterday.

The committee are hard at work raising funds for the Dominion Day celebration and are meeting with good success. The committee is an active one and will be sure to have triumphant success.

Fifty-four candidates are writing on the examinations for entrance to the high school, Mr. W. Burns, inspector, being presiding manager.

The Ven. Archdeacon MacKay, who has officiated at Christ Church during the last three weeks, has returned to Prince Albert.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, June 2.—Rev. E. B. Chestnut has arrived from St. Catherines, Ont., to assume the pastorate of Knox church, Sapperton.

A correspondent writing from Chilliwack says la grippe is prevalent in that village and vicinity, several of the cases being serious. Among the worst sufferers are A. M. Nelson, Isaac Kipp and J. Reece.

The fish dealers are shipping East all the salmon they can get hold of. The run has been steadily improving for some days.

There was nothing new in the diphtheria situation to-day, and, so far as is known, there are no new cases. A child named Canton died yesterday. The family lately came to this city from Port Moody.

The board of school trustees have decided to allow the west side school to remain closed another week.

The current in the river is so strong at present that two tugs are required to tow a heavy boom of logs from the mouth of the river to the city.

Claude E. Holt, of the Land Registry office, who has been absent on sick leave for several months, will leave Collingwood for Westminster on Wednesday next. Mr. Holt has lately joined the army of benedicts and will bring his bride home to British Columbia.

Rev. E. Robson and Mrs. Robson were presented with a farewell address last night by the congregation of the Central Methodist church. Accompanying the address was a handsome picture of the late Premier, Hon. John Robson. The presentation deeply moved Rev. Mr. Robson, who returned thanks for Mrs. Robson and himself in feeling language. Rev. Mr. Robson carries with him to Victoria the best wishes of his many friends in the Royal City.

Hon. J. C. Patterson visited the city today and was met by Mayor Curtis, G. E. Corbould, M.P., and others. After lunch a hasty glance was taken of the city, including the drill shed, and the result of the hon. gentleman's visit will be that the Royal City will soon have a drill building which will meet all requirements. Before leaving Hon. Mr. Patterson said: "Next year, I hope to return to Westminster and then lay the corner-stone of a handsome new drill shed."

A public meeting was held to-night to discuss the advisability of raising $12,000 to improve and enlarge the market buildings. A by-law will probably be submitted to the people, but there is a diversity of opinion on the scheme.

DUNCAN.

DUNCAN, June 2.—Mr. James Dalby, wife and family, are at the Quamichan hotel.

J. Welch shot another panther last week at Cowichan lake, and several bear have fallen to the rifles of the hunters around the lake.

A. Sadler, C. H. Dickie, and J. B. McDonald travelled to Victoria on Tuesday's train.

E. W. Shaw and J. O'Reilly went down to Victoria by Tuesday's train.

D McIntyre, Major Mutter, Miss Shaw (England), E. W. Shaw, B. W. Pearse, C. H. Chambers, and — Stewart arrived from Victoria on Wednesday last, and Mr. Pierce and party left the same day for Cowichan lake, by the stage, on a fishing excursion.

Charley Wilson, an Indian of Kuper Island, was charged at the Court house yesterday (Thursday), before H. O. Wellburn and F. H. Maitland-Dougall, J.'s P., with stealing blankets in April last from an old Kuper Island Indian named John Estecmet. He was convicted and sent up to Nanaimo gaol for six months with hard labor.

F. H. Price came up from Victoria, Mrs. McIntyre, J. Twilton, G. B. Ordano, and B. Dobson went down to Victoria on this morning's train.

CLOVERDALE.

CLOVERDALE, May 30.—Most of the excitement caused by the muddled state of the municipality books has died away and everything is going on as usual, all seemingly well pleased with the result of the audit by Mr. J. Peirson.

There has been plenty of rain this week.

A splendid social and concert was given in the Methodist church here last night. The profits, about $50, are for the organ fund. The Methodist minister here, Rev. Mr. Hicks, made his good-bye address at the social, as he left to assume his duties at Maple Ridge. He was much esteemed by almost everyone in Surrey, and it is with deep regret that they see him go. Rev. Mr. Bowell, late of Chilliwack, succeeds him here.

BOUNDARY CREEK.

Fresh mining locations are being constantly recorded and those already obtained are being energetically developed with satisfactory results. The Spokane and Great Northern Milling Co. have made a rich strike on the Elk Horn, one of the famous Providence group. The new strike shows remarkably fine, ranging 1,184, 1,147, 261, 90, 137 and 74 ounces of silver and averaging $10 per ton of gold. The Bonanza ore body is fully four feet wide. Several thousand dollars worth of ore are in sight. In the twelve-foot Discovery shaft six men can take out $500 worth of ore per day, and production can be increased as room is made for the engagement of more labor. This and other claims of the company now in course of development will pay their own expenses for present working, thus proving the value of their other numerous and promising properties. As the S. & G. N. M. Co. is only one of many operating in this hardly known region with most satisfactory results, the wealth of this section must be almost fabulous, and an era of prosperity is dawning that will outshine the Cariboo excitement as the sun outshines the moon.

IMPERIAL INSTITUTE.

Description of Scenes at the Opening as Witnessed by a Victorian.

Interesting Pen Sketches of Some of the Great People Present.

LONDON, MAY 10.—You will no doubt have a score of reports of the opening of the Imperial Institute in London, from different press organs. Take one from a Victorian who was an eye-witness of the show under very favorable circumstances.

What others saw in it matters not to your correspondent; to him, or to any unbiased witness it must have appeared a magnificent demonstration of the Empire's might, of the popularity of the reigning family, and of the real, hearty, intelligent interest which Her Majesty and the Prince of Wales take in those sons of England, for whom England is too small, and who, therefore, spend life and brain and muscle in building up new kingdoms for the grand old Mother Country who bore them. Some have asked what good will the Institute do? That is easily answered. It will be, as it were, a huge book, always open here in the very heart of the world of commerce, for the nations to refer to when they seek for information upon our colonies, their products, their wages, their opportunities for the young and energetic; a book with references and illustrations always at hand; references in the club rooms, where will be found men from every colony; illustrations in the provincial chambers in the form of ore and grain, lumber, fish, for I saw material of all sorts.

But no one felt inclined to ask carping questions to-day. The good which was begun in the year of jubilee was to be completed by those who not only began, but forwarded every step of it. Of course we had Queen's weather, Victoria weather in two senses, and even during the milkmen's hour (say 7 a.m) carriages, cabs and vehicles of all sorts were rattling through the streets. London life was at high pressure here on the 10th, and even hansoms were at a premium, whilst tickets for the show could not be bought at $5 apiece. In all the residential quarter round the Institute, stands had been erected, bunting and flowers lent color to the scene, the streets were packed with a well dressed crowd as thickly as the Fraser is with fish when the great "run" takes place, and roar after roar of English cheering told how those men lie who say that our monarchy is unpopular.

We took our places shortly after 11, everything being so marvellously well ordered that places in that crowd of 20,000 seat-holders were as easy to find as is Christ church cathedral, B.C., and joined in the first round of applause, which was awarded to a thin faced, grey haired old gentleman, who wore his hair very long, and smiled very kindly as he bowed, bareheaded, to us all, the Archbishop of Canterbury. Then there went by strange people, from all the corners of the earth; groups of quaintly and gorgeously attired Chinese; a gentleman, in what looked like a yellow dressing-gown of water-proofed wallpaper; a nodding Indian in a gigantic orange turban; some splendidly savage-looking Afghan chiefs, with their features and fiercely truculent moustaches and whiskers, and then a medley of ambassadors, ablaze with orders, Lord Coleridge, in scarlet robes, his huge bald head contrasting strangely with the pretty face of the wife beside him, and after these the scarlet livery of the Royal house began to show. A magnificently mounted aide-de-camp came galloping down the track, the Royal Marines came to the present, the incomparable Life Guards came riding down, some of them on horses far from "safe" for less perfect horsemen, and after them the man whose idea it was to build the great structure in front of us, for the closer binding together of the colonies and the honor of his Royal mother.

Great Scott! how the people cheered. There were only three other *great* cheers to-day—one for the Queen, of course, as she drove by, the simplest dressed lady in all that great crowd, and yet as those who have seen her all admit, needing nothing to mark her as head of the proudest and mightiest nation God ever made; one for the Princess May, Britain's future Queen, and one (not the least) for the New South Wales cavalry, a body of splendidly mounted men, in the most thoroughly soldierlike get-up ever devised, brown uniform, brown boots and belts, brown sombreros, drilled cow-boys to look at, dressed in the most convenient fighting kit imaginable.

Englishmen know what fighting men should look like, and the rounds of applause given to the New South Wales men, were the verdicts of competent critics. Could not we turn out a similar force, I wonder? I shall not carry you through the whole ceremony, or tell you how the Queen was conducted to her waiting room, or how she and the Princess May listened to an address by the President of the Institute, an Imperial march by Sir Arthur Sullivan, a "peal of fifty changes" rang from the Tower," the roar of a Royal salute fired by the Royal Artillery in the park, the National anthem sung by Albani, or prayers said by the Archbishop. I would rather interest your readers by telling them about their future queen, a tall graceful figure in a very simple gown of heliotrope, made without any flounces or furbelows (forgive me ladies), a young fresh English (thoroughly English) girl, with a right royal carriage of her head and a graceful bow, which would perhaps not have been so noticeable had her future mother-in-law been present. No lady yet has learned to bow to any English crowd as she bows, and I doubt if any will ever command their cheers as our Princess does.

If I think an honest critic, not blinded by loyalty, would say that Princess May is not beautiful in spite of the papers, but she is distinctly pretty with fresh, fair prettiness peculiar to English country girls, and if the cheery manner of the whole royal party, from H.R.H. (whose beard is getting very gray) and his extremely smartly built sailor-like son, Prince George, to that terror of slack soldiers, the Duke of Cambridge, may be relied upon, the royal family is as pleased with the bride elect, as the English people are, and that is saying much.

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TO LET—Either separately or together, 1 store and 2 upper flats in the Lewis Block, 46 Yates street. Apply to LEWIS LEWIS or H. F. HEISTERMAN & CO. fe19-1m

Advertisements under the heads of Lost, Found, For Sale or To Let and Situations Wanted will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTS.

WANTED—Situation as chambermaid or general house. Apply to L. Rexer, 52 Pandora street. je2-3t

WANTED—Dressmaking; work at home, or by the day; cuts by chart. Address Amica, Colonist office. je2-3t

A YOUNG Englishwoman desires a position as bookkeeper, etc. City references. Apply K A, Ames, Holden Co. je1-3t

WANTED—A young man as driver of a delivery wagon; one accustomed to the care of horses preferred. Apply, stating experience and wages expected, to Grocer Colonist Office. je1-2t

WANTED—A nurse or housemaid, accustomed to partial care of children. Apply during mornings or evenings, to Mrs. Peters, "C" Battery Barracks. my31 6t

WANTED—Ward maid. Apply Jubilee Hospital. m28 3t

WANTED—Immediately—An experienced nurse to take charge of a baby from the month, also a child two years old. Apply between 10 and 4 at 51 Langley street. my23-tf

STAMPS WANTED—Old Canadian, British Columbian and other stamps as used 25 to 40 years ago, for many I pay $1 to $5 each. George Lowe, 316 Spadina avenue, Toronto. my20-1yr

WANTED—A partner in a good paying business in Victoria; must have five thousand dollars. Address H. S. T., box 665 giving address and references. my17 tf

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TO LET—House on Rupert street, five minutes walk from post office. Apply W. J. Quinlan, Five Sisters block, city. mc30-tf

TO LET—Neat, clean, furnished rooms, well lighted. By day, week or month. Call and see them. Mrs. Dow, Cromwell House, 103½ Government street. June22-1mo

LOST OR FOUND.

LOST—Black, smooth-haired retriever dog; white feet; name Punch. Finder will be rewarded. H. M. Dumbleton, 17 Michigan street, James Bay. mc6-26-5t

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FOR SALE.

Notice is hereby given that under instructions of the mortgagee, tenders will be received up to 3 p.m. on Thursday, the 15th day of June, 1893, by the undersigned, at their office, 22 Bastion Street, Victoria, for the purchase of the saloon business lately carried on by Ross J Ferguson, in the premises known as "The Ship Inn" Saloon, Wharf Street, and also of the stock in trade, furniture and effects of the said Ross J. Ferguson, now in and upon the said premises.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

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Notice is hereby given that payments on lots purchased in lot 31, Kings road, Work Estate, and in lot 70, Edmonton road, Fernwood Estate, are to be made to Mr. Hyland, of the firm of Matson & Hyland, office in Redfern's building, Government street.

W. H. ELLIS, Victoria, March 18, 1893. mc18

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TENDERS Will be received up to June 10th, for the privilege of supplying the S. A. N. W. Tournament with Luncheon and Liquid Refreshments, for the four days, June 14th to 17th inclusive. Full particulars can be obtained from the undersigned.

O. WEILER, je1-1w Secretary of Committee.

TO CONTRACTORS.

Tenders are invited for the erection of certain Brick Buildings to be used as an Isolation Hospital on Mount Tolmie Road for the Corporation.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned, where all tenders must be delivered not later than 12 o'clock noon on Monday, June 5th, on proper forms supplied for the purpose, and accompanied by a certified cheque to the value of 5 per cent. of the total amount of the tender, which will be returned to all unsuccessful competitors when the contract is signed.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

W. RIDGWAY-WILSON, Architect. May 22nd, 1893. my23

ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE, NEW WESTMINSTER.

TENDERS, endorsed "Lunatic Asylum," for the supply of clothing, meat, milk, vegetables, groceries, coal, and wood, etc., for the use of the said institution from the 1st day of July next to the 30th day of June, 1894, will be received by the Honourable the Provincial Secretary until noon on Wednesday the 21st proximo.

Lists of the articles required can be seen at this office, and at the Asylum, at which latter place samples can also be inspected.

All supplies to be delivered at the Asylum without extra charge.

Security for the due performance of the contract will be required in each case.

A. CAMPBELL REDDIE, Deputy Provincial Secretary. Provincial Secretary's Office, Victoria, 22nd May, 1893. my24

TENDERS.

The Municipal Council of the City of Nanaimo invite tenders up to MONDAY, JUNE 12th, 1893, at 6 p.m.,

For the Re-Survey of the City of Nanaimo.

Specifications can be seen at the City Clerk's office.

Each tender must be accompanied with a cash deposit or a certified cheque not less than five per cent. of the contract price, which will be forfeited if the party to whom the contract is awarded refuses to sign the contract. Unsuccessful tenderers will have the amounts returned to them.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ADAM THOMPSON, Assistant City Clerk. Nanaimo, B. C., May 3 th, 1893. je2-6t

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NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at its next sitting by William Monteith, Official Administrator, for a transfer of the license granted to R. H. Ward, (Now deceased), for the sale of wines and liquors by retail at the Albion Hotel, Herald street, Victoria city, to Isaac Ayes of the said city, the undersigned Charles Thomas Russell, to whom permission to use such license was until the date hereof temporarily granted, consenting to such application. Dated this 25th day of April, A.D., 1893.

W. MONTEITH, Official Administrator. ap26 CHAS. T. RUSSELL.

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(Special to the COLONIST.)

BARKERVILLE, May 24,—Having become tired of the monotony of "Poverty Gulch," Timon Creek, I, a few days ago, decided on a stroll of some dozen miles up the road to the residence of Mr. Charles Ramos, general superintendent of the Slough Creek Mining Co., as I wished to see and learn what had been done in the way of development by this company.

While passing through the little town of Stanley, once one of the most important mining towns in the Cariboo district, but now very much resembling Goldsmith's "Deserted Village," I inquired how much farther I had to walk and as to the condition of the roads. I was told that the walking was "fair, considerin'," and the distance, three and a half or four miles, so I started off on what I thought was a nice hour's ramble. But I was doomed to disappointment. About the only complaint I have to make of the good people of Cariboo is the good natured way they suit distances to the wishes of the poor, unsuspecting pedestrian. I had not proceeded more than a mile when I came to Chisholm Creek. The stream had risen very high, overflowed its banks, cut half a dozen channels for itself across the road, and there was no bridge. Being a "tenderfoot," I naturally looked about for some way of getting across dry shod, and on going up stream a short distance discovered an old sluice-box, which, no doubt, at some time had done good work, but had now gone into "innocuous desuetude" (Times). This appeared to offer a way over the difficulty. When right in the middle of the stream, where the water was deepest, my bridge suddenly gave way, and I found myself "gently drifting with the tide," waist deep in ice cold water. I quickly scrambled out on the opposite shore, a wetter, but a wiser man, resolved never more to put my faith in old sluice-boxes—when improvised as bridges. After walking another two miles I reached Devil's Canyon. and here found that my discomfort was not yet ended. Snow still covered the road to a depth of nearly twelve inches, real, nice, soft, beautiful snow, which you sink through to hard pan at every step, and which continued so to almost the end of my walk—about a mile and a half. I arrived at my destination after travelling nearly a mile further than I had anticipated, over a terribly hard road, tired, wet and hungry, and inwardly blessing the "old-timers" of Stanley.

I found Mr. Romus at home, who gave me such a pleasant welcome that I forgot my discomforts and was soon in dry clothing and doing ample justice to a good supper.

SLOUGH CREEK AND VICINITY.

After a good night's rest, I woke bright and early, feeling none the worse for the experience of the previous day, and after dressing, went out for a breath of fresh air and a look at the scenery. The situation is most charming. Not twenty feet from the house Devil's Canyon creek ripples by and joins Slough creek, some 300 feet further down. Island Mountain, from which flows Coulter creek, is directly in front; Burns mountain slopes up directly to the right, while on the left is the famous Dragon mountain, from whose slopes untold quantities of the precious metal have been taken, and where rich paying claims are still being worked. Within a short distance can be seen the evidences of old workings, all of which have yielded good pay.

After breakfast, in company with Mr. Ramos, I started down the road to visit the scene of the operations of the Slough Creek Mining Co. On the way we passed four hydraulic claims that are being worked by Chinamen. All of these claims have paid for years. The second one, only last year, cleaned up 300 ounces of gold, and one on Nelson creek, a little further on, washed up last year, 480 ounces, representing the work of four men for six weeks. This claim has been working for thirty years, and has always paid well. It was originally opened by white men, who, after going to considerable expense, and building a flume, sold out to a Chinese company for $300. The first day the Chinamen cleaned $500, thus paying for their claim and making big wages besides. The chagrin of the former owners may well be imagined. Another Chinese company put in a monitor during the winter and were doing good work as we passed along. A little further on brought us to Slough creek and the workings of the Slough Creek Mining Co. This company's claim covers the width of the valley lying between Island and Dragon mountains (about half a mile) and is three miles in length.

Mining on Slough creek and vicinity has heretofore been chiefly surface work, and the means used for extracting gold have all been of the most primitive nature, still it is impossible to tell the vast amount of the precious metal that has been taken out of this creek; and there is no reason to doubt that equal wealth may yet be found by those who have the pluck and energy to interest themselves in this work.

Having in view the foregoing facts (and after seeing the creek and the immensely rich country drained by it) no one can help but coincide with the belief that by sinking to the bedrock where it is deepest, there is every probability of finding gold in such paying quantities as to throw even the old gold days into the shade. Even to the most skeptical it would seem impossible to be otherwise. This is not the opinion of one man only, but is shared by most of the old miners; and the Gold Commissioner of Cariboo, who has spent almost a lifetime in the district, has expressed the belief that there is no place in Cariboo which can compare with the possibilities of the Slough Creek valley as a paying property.

In crossing the mouth of Nelson creek, Mr. Ramos pointed out to me the preliminary work of the company. This consisted of four shafts stretching in a direct line across the bed of the valley, which were bored by a Chapman hydraulic jetting machine, and were for the purpose of finding the deep ground. These were respectively 41, 43, 45 and 245 feet deep, and in each of them gold was found. The last of these is now covered by about a foot of water during the present high stage of the stream, and only the post that marks the spot is visible. Slough creek is a rather pretentious stream. Its present ambition seems to be to overflow and cover the greater part of the valley, and the company have had considerable trouble in confining it to its proper channel. After crossing over we came to the main shaft, which is covered by a neat little frame house, and close to it is another building, in which is stored the boring machine and other apparatus.

On all sides can be seen the marks of industry. Thousands of logging and heavier timber, used for tunneling, are lying about in unique piles, ready for the hands of the drifter. Going down stream four hundred feet, you arrive at the present working of the drain, where the tunnel is tapped by a shaft 35 feet deep. From this to the next shaft is 225 feet, and in this distance, I was informed by Mr. Ramos, there are 400 sets of timber. To the next shaft is 227 feet, and here, too, the timbers are thickly set. The ground here is of such a nature as to require the most skilful workmanship, and Mr. Ramos may be congratulated on securing the services of Mr. Harry Wilcox, than whom there is no better miner and more skilful worker in the whole Cariboo district. From the fourth shaft there are about 300 feet of tunnel, which is well timbered up and covered, after which it runs in an open drain and empties into the creek some 10,000 feet further down.

It looks almost incredible that this amount of work could have been accomplished in the short period of four months, and during the close season and at an expense that is only nominal. It simply points to the fact that the most careful management, economy and skilful workmanship have been displayed, and the Slough Creek Mining Co. may rest satisfied that their interests will be well served by thu general superintendent, who has spent a lifetime in mining, both in Canada and the States, and if gold is to be found, he will surely bring it to the surface.

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THE BRIGGS CASE.

The Professor Suspended From the Presbyterian Church for Heretical Teaching.

Will Continue His Connection With Union Seminary as if Nothing Had Happened.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—The Presbyterian general assembly, at 2:35 this afternoon, adopted the report of the committee suspending Dr. Briggs from the ministry of the Presbyterian church. The charges originally preferred against Dr. Briggs were:

(1) Teaching that reason is a fountain of divine authority which may savingly enlighten men, even such men as reject the Scriptures as the authoritative proclamation of the will of God, and reject also the way of salvation through the mediation and sacrifice of the Son of God as revealed therein.

(2) Teaching that the church is a fountain of divine authority, which, apart from the Holy Scriptures, may and does savingly enlighten men.

(3) Teaching that errors may have existed in the original text of the Holy Scriptures as it came from its authors.

(4) Teaching that Moses is not the author of the Pentateuch,

(5) Teaching that Isaiah is not the author of half of the book that bears his name.

(6) Teaching that sanctification is not complete at death, which is contrary to the essential doctrine of the Holy Scripture and of the standards of the church, that the souls of believers are at death at once made perfect in holiness.

These charges were much modified before Dr. Briggs was placed on trial. While speaking in his defence before the General Assembly on Tuesday, the doctor said: "I now wish to bring forth my position. I shall adhere to the policy which I have thus far followed with regard to the errors in Holy Scripture. I refused to accept the dogma that original autographs are inerrant. I maintained that there are errors in the texts which we have, and that it is probable that the original texts, if we could discover them, would be much different from those we have in that regard. I refused to affirm that there were errors in the original autographs, because it is unscientific and unscholarly, and it is against the truth-loving spirit of Christianity to make affirmations of dogmas where we can have no certain evidence. I always refrained as far as possible from pointing to errors in the present text of Scripture, but every Biblical scholar admits them."

NEW YORK, June 2.—Rev. Charles Augustus Briggs, D. D., returned from Washington to-night. When asked if he had heard of the action of the Presbyterian General Assembly in his case, he replied:

"Yes, I heard of the sentence against me. I left Washington early in the afternoon, but deem it best not to talk on the matter at present."

"Do you still occupy the Edward Robinson chair of biblical theology in the seminary?" was asked.

"Most certainly I do. Is there anything in the terms of the endowment of that chair, or in the rules of the seminary, which requires that this professorship must be held by a minister of the Presbyterian church? Not at all."

"Has the decision of the General Assembly in suspending you from the ministry made any change in your relations with Union seminary?"

"None whatever," replied the doctor. "The General Assembly never contributed a dollar to Union seminary. It is supported almost wholly by New York merchants and others."

It was learned from others connected with Union seminary this evening that Prof. Briggs would go right on just as if nothing had happened, and he will be sustained in his action by the board of directors and the members of the faculty of the institute.

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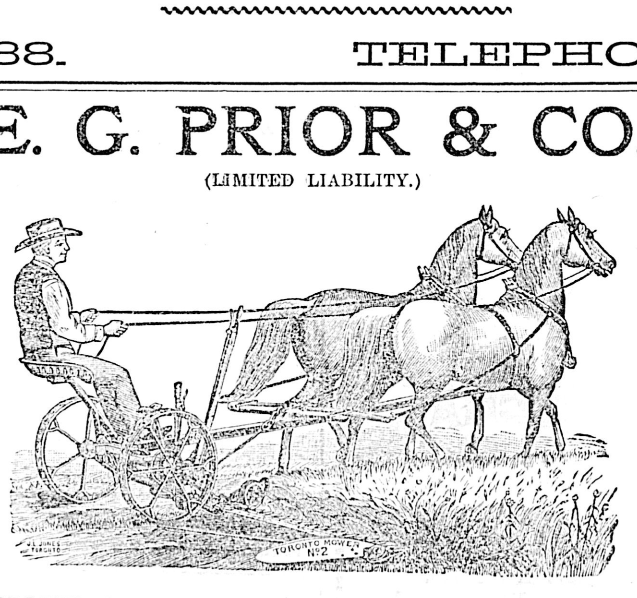

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THE ONTARIO SCHOOL SYSTEM.

The May number of the Canadian Magazine contains an article entitled "Education vs. Cram," by A. H. Morrison. The writer criticises the system of education that obtains in Ontario severely. It is, in his opinion, too mechanical. The children are not educated under it. They are crammed. He says:

In our Public schools, what are our special systems doing? They are turning out tens of thousands of animated square-finished pegs to fill round offices, or animated round-finished pegs to fill square ones. All, or most, of the same stereotyped pattern. All of the same material. All with the same fuddled mentalities—little wonder, considering the air they breathe and the stultifying process undergone—and all more or less useless.

This is not complimentary, but is it true? Do the pupils trained and crammed under the modern Ontario system turn out better men and women, more capable and better fitted to do the work which they find to do in the world, than were their fathers and grandfathers, who were educated under a very different system. Mr. Morrison is evidently of opinion that they do not. He believes that practical men have a very poor opinion of the product of the modern public school, and he is not backward in giving expression to his convictions. He adduces the following instance:

There is the head of a firm who desires a competent book keeper. Will he engage one of the Public school certificated, or will he look for a practical and practised hand, who has learned his trade at the fountain head of all trade, hard-headed experience, not at the morbid desk of a $250 school marm or the pretentious blackboard of a beardless sciolist.

This want of practical ability Mr. Morrison attributes to the system under which the boys are taught. They are not trained to utilize the knowledge they are compelled to imbibe. Time is not given them to digest and assimilate what they learn. They must hurry on, cram their memory with more facts, so that when examination day comes they may be able to get the requisite number of marks.

A rigid system of marking, he says, as the result of daily class examination, is bad; nothing could be worse; for, of course, the reports with which the teachers in many centres are pestered and overwhelmed are founded upon these markings. Let us examine some of the direct results of this periodical, often hourly, marking of lessons.

The teacher's time is wasted. Valuable moments are filched from instruction to be frittered away in recording the standing of pupils, and this at the close of every lesson. A teacher's office is to teach, not to do second class official work. Let the public thoroughly understand this.

The writer of the article is not impressed with the results of the system of education in operation in Ontario. He evidently does not believe that it deserves the praise so lavishly bestowed upon it. The following description of the work done in the schools of that province is in singular contrast to the commendation of the Ontario school system which is so frequently seen:

According to the present system of tuition, there is too much pencil work on sl te or paper as mere examination, too little teaching. It is extremely doubtful whether in some centres, more especially in the upper forms, there is any teaching at all in the true sense of the word. Lessons are assigned in the school room. They are prepared at home. Ten, eleven, twelve o'clock midnight sees the pupils at their tasks; the strong, the weak, the callous, the nervous, now with a headache, now with disgust in their hearts, now in tears—children who should be in the sunshine by day, and in their beds by nine o'clock at latest. The next morning finds them at their desks in the school room. Examination begins. Scribble, scribble, scribble!! Slates or paper; nothing oral, nothing of interest, nothing by way of supplement from the overseeing, enlightened mind. There is no time. The examined scribbles for bare life, "Facts, facts, facts sirs," are wanted. No matter what the handwriting is like, no matter what the spelling is like, no matter what the style of composition is like. Facts, facts, are the all in all, the "open sesame" to the outer and healthful sunlight of knowledge and culture.

As a natural consequence, the spelling, the writing and the composition are in many cases execrable. The examination over, the marking begins; that over, another slate and paper recitation is in order. So on through the weary hours. And the teacher, instead of being a mentally expanding agent, illustrative, explanatory, critical, is a mere pedagogic recording machine, inscribing hourly on his registering tablets the number of marks obtained by his class of puppets in the automatic dance of intellectual death.

This is indeed a dismal picture. If it is not true to the life, it is surprising that the article which contains it should be found in the place of honor in a magazine published in Toronto, and one which has its way to make in the Province of Ontario. If Mr. Morrison's description of the work done in the Ontario schools is not a gross misrepresentation, the Ontario system is one rather to be avoided than imitated. What the writer says about the evil effects of cram is only too true. We are glad to see that the attention of educationists in all parts of the world is being directed to the uselessness and the hurtfulness of undue haste and unwholesome competition in the work of education. Thoughtful people now see that healthy growth is gradual and that the minds of children cannot be forced with impunity. It is necessary for those who are interested in the education of children, to look beneath the surface and not to think too much of the present. If they do this at all intelligently, they will see that much which is now believed to be progress is not progress at all, and that a fearfully high price must be paid for results that are obtained too soon.

RAILROAD SPEED.

Travel by rail is in these days becoming wonderfully rapid. Locomotives are constructed to travel at the rate of seventy, eighty and even one hundred miles an hour. Roads are being altered so that a speed can be made on them which, a few years ago, would be considered impossible. The ideal track must be as straight as an arrow and as level as a billiard table; the road-bed, too, must be as solid as a rock. The nearer a road is to this ideal, the more rapidly and the more safely can trains travel over it. It is found that if the road is kept clear by a good signal system and intelligent management, there is no danger in fast travelling. It is as safe to travel on a properly constructed road at the rate of eighty miles an hour as it is at the rate of forty miles an hour. The motion of cars moving on a solid track at a very high rate of speed, is said to be by no means unpleasant or alarming. In a train running over a section of the road from Chicago to Cleveland, at the rate of a mile in fifty-one seconds, a glass as full as it could hold of water was placed on the table of a car, yet not a single drop of it was spilled. It was, it is said, absolutely impossible to realize the speed of the train in any way, except to time it by the stone mile posts.

Flying trains are now on the road from New York to Chicago. The distance is 980 miles. The schedule time is twenty hours, or at the rate of forty-nine miles an hour, including stoppages. This means a speed for part of the journey of a good deal more than forty-nine miles an hour. The average running is, in point of fact, fifty-three miles in sixty minutes. This is very nearly a mile a minute. It is expected that before long the journey between New York and Chicago will be made in fifteen hours. Whether this is to be done on the New York Central or the Great Northern we do not know.

Some of the American roads are, we see, both in the improvement of the tracks and the construction of locomotives, preparing very materially to increase the speed of their passenger and express trains.

BRIGGS CONDEMNED.

It is not at all surprising that the majority of the General Assembly saw it to be their duty to condemn Dr. Briggs. Any one who has read the Westminster Confession of Faith at all carefully, must have come to the conclusion that the teachings of Dr. Briggs are not in agreement with the doctrines set forth in that standard. And it must be remembered that the Assembly had to consider whether or not Dr. Briggs' utterances were in conformity with the standards of the Presbyterian Church.

It is possible that the Doctor had brought himself to believe that what he taught, with regard to the inerrancy of the Scriptures and other matters, is in accord with the standards which he had subscribed and to which he had pledged himself to conform, but we believe that ninety-nine men out of one hundred of average intelligence would find that they were in direct opposition.

It is always suspicious and most unsatisfactory when a man is forced to have recourse to subtle arguments and refinements of interpretation to reconcile what, to men of ordinary understanding, appears to be irreconcilable. When a clergyman finds that his convictions do not plainly accord with the doctrines which he is bound to teach, the simple, and, it seems to us, the only honest course for him to pursue, is to sever himself from the body with whose creed he does not cordially and unreservedly agree. Reservation, mental and open, and special pleading are not popular in transacting business which is altogether secular, but we cannot see how they can be tolerated with respect to things sacred. There is nothing disgraceful in a man's changing his mind on matters of religion. What appears to a man to be the undoubted truth when he is twenty-four may be regarded by him very differently when he is thirty-four. Though there may be nothing wrong in the change, there is in the case of a teacher of religion something dishonorable in concealing the change, or in denying that it has been made. Dr. Briggs, it seems to us, would occupy to-day a higher place in the esteem of men of all denominations if he had stated frankly that he did not look on the Scriptures in the same light as the great majority of Presbyterians do, and as they believe the Standards of the Presbyterian Church require a teacher of the Presbyterian religion to do, and that he, for peace sake and to prevent scandal, would sever his connection with the Church. But Dr. Briggs did not do this. He does not, even now, after it has been decided by the highest court in the Presbyterian Church in the United States, that his teachings and the doctrines he holds are not in accordance with the Standards of that church, propose to resign his position as professor in a Presbyterian seminary, one of the duties of whose teachers is to prepare Presbyterian young men for the ministry.

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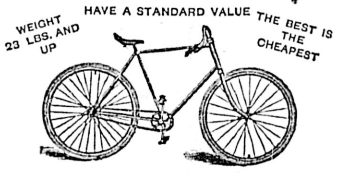

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THE Y. L. I. bazaar was continued yesterday with an increased, rather than diminished attendance, and attractive special features.

REV. W. W. BAER, formerly pastor of the Gorge road Methodist church, and more recently of Nanaimo, will preach at Victoria West to-morrow.

THE Y. P. L A. of the First Presbyterian church will hold an excursion up the Arm on Monday evening next, leaving McIntosh's boat house at 7:30 o'clock.

S. B. GILLESPIE, a son-in-law of Mrs. Medina, of Victoria, and himself well known in this city, died at Portland yesterday. The remains will be brought here for interment.

JIMMY CHICKENS refuses to be comforted when separated from his devoted spouse. Jenny was sent to jail for "possession" on Thursday; Jimmy was gathered in yesterday for being drunk on the reserve.

SPECIAL arrangements have been made by the tramway people for accommodating the crowds who will "take in" the lacrosse match to-day. The cars now land their passengers right at the gates of Caledonia park.

W. RUFUS MARTIN, who was arrested for debt some time ago at the instance of Thomas Tugwell, has been released from custody without the necessity of an order from the court. It is stated that considerable litigation may be expected as a result of his incarceration.

THERE will be a meeting of the settlers of Granham at noon on Thursday next, for the purpose of appointing trustees to select a site for a new public school house. The meeting is expected to be largely attended as the matter is of great interest to that thriving community.

MANAGER JAMIESON has engaged the Chinese theatrical troupe, from Portland, for matinee and evening performances one week from to day. There will be a large party of Raymond excursionists here that day and they, no doubt, will especially appreciate the unique attraction.

THE postponed sale of the outfit of horses, harness, vehicles, etc., of the Eureka livery stables, took places yesterday, H. Cuthbert being the auctioneer. Very good prices, everything concluded, were realized, and stock to the value of $2,500 was sold. There was a good attendance and spirited bidding.

THE London Morning Post of May 10, contains the list of presentations to Queen Victoria at the drawing-room held on the previous day. Among the names are those of Lady Musgrave (Nee Miss Jessie Dunsmuir), presented by Lady Castletown, of Upper Ossory, and Miss Dunsmuir, by Mrs. J. Graham Menzies.

THE ladies of Christ Church cathedral propose holding their annual bazaar on Thursday next, June 8. The object in view this year is the enlargement of the schoolroom, which is at present inconveniently cramped. Rt. Rev. Bishop Perrin has kindly promised to open the bazaar at 2 o'clock, and there will be High Tea in the evening.

REV C. C. MARSTON gave an excellent sermon in Emmanuel Baptist church last night, on the subject: "The Infidel's God." "By their fruits ye shall know them," was the line of argument; clear, concise and convincing were the points made. This evening a grand army service will be held, when a large number of stereoptican views of camp and battle will be given.

THE committee appointed by the local sealers a short time ago to prepare the information asked for by Captain Hughes-Hallett, presented their report to him yesterday, giving all possible information in regard to this season's plans. Nothing further remains to be done in port, and the Garnet will accordingly sail at daybreak this morning for her Northern cruising ground, the Nymphe following on Monday or Tuesday.

Two Indians, giving their names as Jack and John, and occupying cabins belonging to Ah Sing, in the old "Cowyard," on Herald street, were given in charge to Officer Palmer, last evening, for having in their possession two blankets, a robe and a coat, the property of a Chinaman. In rambling through his cabins, Ah Sing recognized the stolen property as that which his fellow-Celestial had lost, and immediately gave information to the police.

COMEDIAN Nat C. Goodwin's appearance in a new play is always an event of theatrical importance. In "A Gilded Fool," which is the main feature of his repertoire this season, he is said to have made the great hit of his successful career. It is quite unlike any play in which he has hitherto been seen—a comedy, pure and simple, with a story, the interest of which is well sustained to the end, and an abundant fund of humor that is irrisistible in its effect on an American audience when interpreted by Mr. Goodwin and his great company. The sale of seats is now open at Jamieson's, Mr. Goodwin's engagement here being for Tuesday and Wednesday next.

"SPORT MCALLISTER" was presented to a large house at the Victoria theatre last evening by Robert Gaylor's company, who succeeded in making it the laughing success promised on the bills. The play has been remodelled and improved since last presented here, and the incidents proved very funny indeed. "Bobby" Gaylor, as "Sport McAllister," kept the house well amused through all the acts, and he had good support from his company. In the second act several highly entertaining specialties were introduced, these proving a liberal entertainment in themselves; and the private theatricals forming part of the same act elicited very cordial applause by their absurdities.

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CIVIC SALARIES IN DANGER.

Alderman Baker Moves for a General Reduction of Ten Per Cent.

The Matter Held Over for a Larger Meeting of the Council.

The City Council met last evening, there being present Mayor Beaven, presiding, Ald. McKillican, Belyea, Styles, Bragg, Henderson, Munn and Baker.

The Building Inspector reported that the contractors, Thomas & Glover, had completed the new health office in the market grounds. The report was adopted.

The estimates by-law was considered in committee. When the appropriations for civic officials were reached,

ALD. BAKER advocated a general reduction of salaries by taking a percentage off the pay of everyone receiving more than $60 a month, and also that a number of the officials should be dismissed, as he considered that there were some who were not required. As it would not look well for the aldermen to raise their own salaries and reduce those of the officials, he thought the aldermen should forego their increase for this year. The revenue not providing enough funds for the street work required, he saw no other course than the one suggested. He therefore moved a reduction of ten per cent. on the salary of $2,000 of the Treasurer and Collector.

While Ald. Baker was speaking, Ald. Bragg and Styles left the meeting.

ALD. BELYEA said that Ald. Baker had waited until his own salary as alderman was carried, and then moved the reduction. He would not consent to the motion unless Ald. Baker first had the aldermen's pay reduced.

ALD. BAKER thereupon moved that the aldermen's indemnity be reduced to $200, the former figure, in place of $400.

THE MAYOR pointed out that the aldermen's indemnity was fixed by by-law, which could not be dealt with at this stage.

ALD. MUNN thought it was too late to deal with the civic officials' salaries for this year, as five months had already passed.

ALD. BELYEA said he did not like the appearance of things here to-night. He wished to speak out boldly, and would ask Ald. Baker where were his first and second lieutenants, Ald. Bragg and Ald. Styles, at this important time. Ald. Baker's object, apparently, was to fire the shot, and place the rest of the aldermen present in a false position.

ALD. BAKER disclaimed any knowledge of the reasons for the absence of Ald. Bragg and Styles. To show that he wished everything to be fair and above board, he would ask that the Estimates by-law be laid over until another and larger meeting, and he therefore moved that the committee rise and report progress.

This was agreed to.

The by law respecting the raising of revenue by means of licenses, road tax and dog tax, was taken up and considered in committee. This is a consolidation, moved by Ald. McKillican, of all the present by-laws.

Reports from the Finance committee were presented and adopted. One of these included $200 to be paid to John Dooley for the right to drain through his property at Spring Ridge, thereby saving a large expenditure in rock excavation.

The Council adjourned at 10:10 o'clock.

A QUESTION OF LAW.

The Action of Hon. Amor DeCosmos v. the Victoria & Esquimalt Telephone Co.

In the Supreme Court yesterday, before Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, Chief Justice, the trial of the action of Hon. Amor DeCosmos against the Victoria & Esquimalt Telephone Co. was commenced. The suit is to permanently restrain the defendant company from placing poles, on which to string telephone lines, in front of plaintiff's property, and for damages. Hon. A. N. Richards and H. D. Helmcken appeared for the plaintiff, E. V. Bodwell and A. P. Luxton for the defendants.

The facts in the case have been admitted and it is merely a question of law, as to whether the Legislature has by statute granted to the City of Victoria the right of deciding where these telephone or telegraph poles may or may not be placed, and if so, how far this right extends.

Mr. Bodwell, for the defendants, contended that the City Council was a court which should decide on the matter, express power having been vested in them. In course of the argument His Lordship stated that he would not interfere with the Council's power of deciding absolutely and without appeal on the matters of detail; but he was bound to see that in coming to a decision they followed the principles of natural justice.

On this understanding, Mr. Bodwell expressed his willingness to have the injunction continued for three weeks, during which time the defendants should apply to the Council for a decision on the matter, Mr. DeCosmos' solicitors to be notified of the application, so that they could appear. His Lordship made an order to this effect and the case was adjourned for three weeks.

Important Notice.

The old and well-known firm of Lange & Co., Watchmakers and Jewelers, have removed their place of business from Government street to No. 86 Douglas street, where they will continue to sell off their stock at cost. All repairs of watches, and other orders sent us will be attended to as usual. *

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FIXTURES FOR THE DAY:

LACROSSE—Third match in the Provincial championship series, Victoria v. Vancouver, at Caledonia Park.

CRICKET—Victoria C.C. v. United Banks, at Beacon Hill; Albions v. Corrig College, on grounds of the former.

THE GUN—Practice shoot of the Union and Victoria clubs, at Macaulay Point.

THE WHEEL—Club run to Oak Bay; meet 8 p.m.

LACROSSE.

TO DAY'S GREAT ATTRACTION.

The Vancouver Lacrosse boys, with a large contingent of their friends and admirers, arrived over by the Islander last evening, in the pink of condition and ready to put up the greatest game of lacrosse that Victoria—or British Columbia has ever witnessed. Like the Victorias, the boys from over the water have been practicing hard, and neither side look for a walk over—it will be a battle of science, strength and skill. The arrangement of the Vancouver team upon the field was subject to a few changes last evening and so the teams are not "lined up" as usual. The names of the players were given yesterday.

It is expected that the ball will be faced to-day at 2:30 sharp, but prior to the commencement of the match those who enjoy good music should be on hand, as the great struggle of the day will be preceded with a grand promenade concert by the band of "C" battery under Prof. Pfender's leadership, the programme for which is appended:

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Potpourri—Ob, Fair Dove	Schleppegrell
Selection—Faust	Gounod
Fantasie—Pantomimia	Warwick
Waltzes—Marie	Ellenberg

Mr. J. Whyte, of Westminster, will be referee to-day; the names of the umpires have not yet been announced. Vancouver will put out practically the same twelve that met Westminster in the opening match of the season, but that team improved by constant practice and trained down to the best form they have yet displayed. The Victoria ranks will include Z. Ketcham, formerly of Westminster, the remainder of the players being the old home guard. In the betting Victoria is favorite at short odds, the victory over Westminster being in memory; Nanaimo sports were, yesterday, offering three to two on the Capital City boys.

THE TURF.

A GREAT MILE DASH.

The expectation that the mile dash, for a purse of $100 offered by W. S. Chambers, at the Victoria Driving Park yesterday would be an event of more than ordinary interest, was fully realized. The day being beautifully fine there was a good attendance of spectators. There were three starters, Hooker, Murphy and Rifton, the fourth horse expected not entering. Hooker went to the fence soon after the start and thus was out of the race, but a splendid contest took place between Murphy and Rifton, who ran side by side the whole distance, urged on by whip and spur, and amidst great excitement Murphy finished winner by about half a length. Rifton went lame just after the finish and consequently the match race with Roanoke, three-eights of a mile and repeat for $500 a side, could not be run.

THE RACE IN OFF.

TO THE SPORTING EDITOR:—After waiting for several days since posting my forfeit, without any prospect of the money being covered, and as my mare, Mollie Cooper, is still feeling the effects of her long illness, I have determined to withdraw her from the track and turn her out to grass for the remainder of the season.

JOSEPH H. BROWN.

MR. MEUNIER'S CHALLENGE.

TO THE SPORTING EDITOR:—I notice in your columns of this morning a letter signed "Ignoramus" in answer to one written by me on May 31. This communication has, I will frankly own, fairly puzzled me. What under the sun "Ignoramus" is trying to get at would require an Œdipus to find out. He does not attempt to offer the slightest explanation of the question under discussion, of the merits and demerits of which he is plainly absolutely ignorant, he almost wholly ignores it, and in place thereof amuses himself with some vague incomprehensible generalities, which he is facetiously pleased to term "sport," and with some rambling and painfully disjointed reminiscences of nearly the last half century, which he offers for our edification as some of his "old, old memories," but which, however valuable they may be from an antiquarian point of view, have, most assuredly, not the slightest bearing on the point at issue.

SPECTATOR.

CRICKET.

VICTORIA C.C. V. UNITED BANKS.

The following is the team to represent the United Banks C.C. in their match against the Victoria C. C. on Beacon Hill this afternoon: E. R. D. Applegrath (captain), C. A. Gaffin, B. Goward, W. H. Pegram, T. H. Paterson, C. Bythesea Wilson, G. S. Holt, G. E. Parkes, H. A. Holmes, F. B. Ward and H. F. Mytton.

For the V. C. C. the following eleven will play: J. C. Barff, J. F. Foulkes, H. M. Grahame, P. Æ Irving, Dr. O. M. Jones, A. P. Luxton, S. F. Morley, A. S. Potts, A. G. Smith, R. H. Swinerton and L. H. Webber.

ALBION V. CORRIG COLLEGE.

The following teams will represent the above clubs on the grounds of the Albions at Beacon Hill, this afternoon, at 2 o'clock:

Albions—H. J. Martin (captain), J. E. Martin, F. W. Thomas, F. G. Fowkes, T. K Bayne, A. A. Green, T. Griffiths, C. Schwengers, A. S. Innes, Rev. J. B. Hewetson and M. Henry.

Corrig College—C. Courtwright (captain), H. Scholefield, A. Field, R. Wilson, G. Wilson, A. Goward, F. Prevost, A. Kitto, P. Higgins, E. Erb and J. Rithet.

BILLIARDS.

THE INTERNATIONAL CONTEST.

LONDON, June 2.—In the International billiard match between Ives and Roberts, Ives, the American champion, this evening resumed his play on the balls which he got jammed at the mouth of a pocket last night. When he laid down his cue last night he was in the midst of a run in which he had already scored 1,540 points, and had brought his total up to 4,001. This evening he continued cannoning on the balls wedged at the mouth of the pocket until he had brought his total up to 5,000. He then broke. In breaking the balls up, Ives first pocketed Roberts' ball and then placed his own ball in the balk. He is expected to open to-morrow with an intentional miss. During Ives' play many sarcastic and unfavorable comments were made by the spectators nearest the table. The majority of those present, however, applauded the American repeatedly throughout the match. Ives' style has been widely different from Roberts'. The Englishman plays for the pockets as often as for cannons, while Ives confines his game mostly to cannons.

LONDON, June 2.—It has been arranged that Roberts shall begin the play to morrow with the balls as left by Ives. A close contest is expected. Roberts still offers to bet 300 to 1,000 that he will win the match, but finds no takers. To night Ives was urged repeatedly by the shouters to "smash them." He was also hissed. The hostile demonstrations are believed to have led him to break up the balls.

THE WHEEL.

AROUND THE WORLD TRIP COMPLETED.

NEW YORK, June 2.—Thomas A. Allen, of Ferguson, Mo., and William Sachtelben, of Alton, Ills, at 5 o'clock this evening finished a bicycle trip around the world, which was begun in the summer of 1890. They started from St. Louis, Mo., and wheeling to this city, took passage for Liverpool. They travelled through the British Isles, France, Italy and Turkey. They crossed Asia and at Yokohama boarded a steamship for Vancouver. Then they proceeded for San Francisco, where they arrived December 22 of last year. In the latter part of March they reached St. Louis and made a visit to their homes. After a rest of a few weeks they started to ride to this city to wind up the trip.

HERE AND THERE.

The new cinder path at Northfield, which is to be formally opened next Saturday, is five laps to the mile, sixteen feet wide on the straight and twenty-four on the corners.

The Japan Mail has a prophet on its staff. Over a month ago he picked Isinglass, Ravensbury and Raeburn as first, second and third respectively in the Derby.

Bert. Fairfield, one of the veterans of the St. Catharines Athletics, is reported to be on his way to Victoria with a view to making this city his home.

Walter Jordan and 'Mont' Russell row a single scull race over a mile and a half course for a gold medal at Vancouver on Thursday next.

The racing park committee of the Wanderers will have a conference with the park committee of the City Council next Monday morning.

The captain and crew of the Mascotte defeated the residents of Alberni at cricket on the Queen's birthday with an ihnings to spare.

The tram cars will run direct to Caledonia park to-day.

PERSONAL.

Jas. Haslam, of Cincinnati, is at the Victoria.

T. H. Simpson, of Montreal, is at the Victoria.

S. Prescott and wife, of Steilacom, are at the Victoria.

H. D. Bush, of Portland, is in the city, a guest at the Driard.

Mrs. H E. Connon returned from the Mainland last night.

A. W. Pearse, of Nicola, is in the city, a guest at the Oriental.

Robert Gaylor and his company were at the Victoria yesterday.

F. B. Gregory returned last evening from a business visit to Vancouver.

Hon. J. H. Turner passed through Winnipeg Thursday on his way home.

P. LeBeau and Maurice L. de Vilmorin, Paris, France, are guests at the Driard.

Professor King, the British boundary commissioner, reached Ottawa yesterday.

J. C. Sanders succeeds Andrew Wasson as collector of customs at Port Townsend.

Mrs. F. W. Hart, of Vancouver, came over last evening and is registered at the Driard.

G. B. Betts, of Vancouver, and James J. Taylor, of Newcastle, England, are at the Balmoral.

R. H. Paller, W. C. Matthews, Toronto; Jas. Ridler, St. Paul; and G. Butler Smith, Ormond, Fla., are at the Driard.

J. B. Gordon, manager of "Bradstreets," left last night on a trip through Kootenay in the interest of the mercantile agency.

Wm. Robertson, Paisley; P. W. Lane, Honolulu; and Richard White, Lake Co., Cal., were among the guests at the Oriental last evening.

T. Tompkins and Mrs. Tompkins, of Brockville, Ont., who were for a few days guests at the Driard, left yesterday morning for Vancouver.

Among those registered at the Oriental last evening were: E. Carey, Vancouver; J. C. Whyte, R. I. Rickman, New Westminster; F. L. Loran and wife, Ladner's.

Miss Camille Cleveland, the bright particular star of the Hudson-Eckert Opera Co. of five years ago, surprised her many Victoria friends yesterday by dropping in upon them as a member of the Bobby Gaylor Co.

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JOSHUA DAVIES, AUCTIONEER

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PUBLIC AUCTION

WITHOUT RESERVE,

the property known as the

Colonist Hotel

AT THE MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, BOARD OF TRADE BUILDING, AT 1:30 P.M.,

TUESDAY, JUNE 13th, 1893

All that piece or parcel of land situate in the City of Victoria, containing one acre, more or less, and more particularly described by the map or plan of sale, with the improvements thereon comprising the building known as the Colonist Hotel, being a two-story frame building, and containing 10 rooms on ground floor, 6 rooms on upper floor; stables for four horses carriage house, woodshed and other conveniences, together with the goodwill and fixtures.

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I have been instructed by the Executors of the Estate of the the late William Fisher to sell by

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—AT THE—

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—ON—

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I am instructed by the Mortgagee to sell by Public Auction, under power contained in mortgage deed dated 14th March, 1892, all those pieces or parcels of land known as Lots 21, 22, 25, 26 and 28 of sub-divisions of Sub Lots 53 and 61,

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Being part of Section 75, Victoria District.

Also immediately after, I will sell, by order, and for account of the mortgagee, under power contained in mortgage deed dated 29th June, 1892, Lots 18, 19, 20, 23, 24, 27 and 30 of Fernwood Estate.

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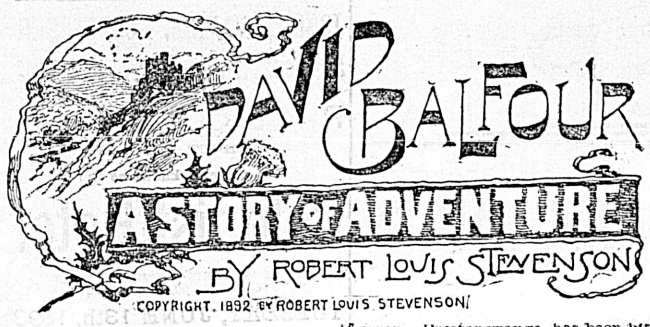

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CHAPTER VI.

UNQUILE THE MASTER OF LOVAT.

There was a man waiting us in Prestongrange's study whom I distasted at the first look, as we distaste a ferret or an earwig. He was bitter ugly, but seemed very much of a gentleman; had still manners, but capable of sudden leaps and violences, and a small voice, which could ring out shrill and dangerous when he so desired.

The advocate presented us in a familiar, friendly way.

"Here, Fraser," said he, "here is Mr. Balfour, whom we talked about. Mr. David, this is Mr. Symon Fraser, whom we used to call by another title, but that is an old song. Mr. Fraser has an errand to you."

With that he stepped aside to his bookshelves and made believe to consult a quarto volume in the far end.

I was thus left (in a sense) alone with perhaps the last person in the world I had expected. There was no doubt upon the terms of introduction. This could be no other than the forfeited master of Lovat and chief of the great clan Fraser. I knew he had led his men in rebellion. I knew his father's head—my old lord's, that gray fox of the mountains—to have fallen on the block for that offense, the lands of the family to have been seized, and their nobility tainted. I could not conceive what he should be doing in Grant's house. I could not conceive that he had been called to the bar, had eaten all his principles and was now currying favor with the government even to the extent of acting advocate depute in the Appin murder.

"Well, Mr. Balfour," said he, "what is all this I hear of ye?"

"It would not become me to prejudge," said I, "but if the advocate was your authority he is fully possessed of my opinions."

"I may tell you I am engaged in the Appin case," he went on. "I am to appear under Prestongrange, and from my study of the recognitions I can assure you your opinions are erroneous. The guilt of Breck is manifest, and your testimony, in which you admit you saw him on the hill at the very moment, will certify his hanging."

"It will be rather ill to hang him till you catch him," I observed, "and for other matters I very willingly leave you to your own impressions."

"The duke has been informed," he went on. "I have just come from his grace, and he expressed himself before me with an honest freedom like the great nobleman he is. He spoke of you by name, Mr. Balfour, and declared his gratitude beforehand in case you would be led by those who understand your own interests and those of the country so much better than yourself. Gratitude is no empty expression in that mouth—experto crede. I dare say you know something of my name and clan, and the damnable example and lamented end of my late father, to say nothing of my own errata. Well, I have made my peace with that good duke. He has intervened for me with our friend Prestongrange, and here I am with my foot in the stirrup again, and some of the responsibility shared into my hand of prosecuting King George's enemies and avenging the late daring and barefaced insult to his majesty."

"Doubtless a proud position for your father's son," says I.

The master of Lovat.

He wagged his bald eyebrows at me. "You are pleased to make experiments in the inimical, I think," said he. "But I am here upon duty. I am here to discharge my errand in good faith. It is in vain you think to divert me. And let me tell you, for a young fellow of spirit and ambition like yourself, a good shove in the beginning will do more than 10 years' drudgery. The shove is now at your command. Choose what you will do to be advanced in. The duke will watch upon you with the affectionate disposition of a father."

"I am thinking that I lack the docility of the son," says I.

"And do you really suppose, sir, that the whole policy of this country is to be suffered to trip up and tumble down for an ill mannered colt of a boy?" he cried. "This has been made a test case. All who would prosper in the future must put a shoulder to the wheel. Look at me! Do you suppose it is for my pleasure that I put myself in the highly invidious position of prosecuting a man that I have drawn the sword alongside of? The choice is not left me."

"But I think, sir, that you forfeited your choice when you mixed in with that unnatural rebellion," I remarked. "My case is happily otherwise; I am a true man and can look either the duke or King George in the face without concern."

"Is it so the wind sits?" says he. "I protest you are fallen in the worst sort of error. Prestongrange has been hitherto so civil, he tells me, as not to combat your allegations, but you must not think they are not looked upon with strong suspicion. You say you are innocent. My dear sir, the facts declare you guilty."

"I was waiting for you there," said I.

"The evidence of Mungo Campbell, your flight after the completion of the murder, your long course of secrecy—my good young man," said Mr. Symon, "here is enough evidence to hang a bullock, let be a David Balfour. I shall be upon that trial. My voice shall be raised. I shall then speak much otherwise from what I do today and far less to your gratification, little as you like it now. Ah, you look white!" cries he. "I have found the key of your impudent heart. You look pale; your eyes waver, Mr. David. You see the grave and the gallows nearer than you had fancied."

"I own to a natural weakness," said I.

"I think no shame for that. Shame"—I was going on.

"Shame waits for you on the gibbet!" he broke in.

"Where I shall but be evened with my lord your father!" said I.

"Aha, but not so," he cried, "and you do not yet see to the bottom of this business! My father suffered in a great cause and for dealing in the affairs of kings. You are to hang for a dirty murder about boddle pieces! Your personal part in it—the treacherous one of holding the poor wretch in talk—your accomplices, a pack of ragged highland gillies. And it can be shown, my great Mr. Balfour—it can be shown, and it will be shown, trust me that has a finger in the pie—it can be shown and shall be shown—that you were paid to do it! I think I can see the look go round the court when I adduce my evidence and it shall appear that you, a young man of education, let yourself be corrupted to this shocking act for a suit of castoff clothing, a bottle of highland spirits and three and fivepence halfpenny in copper money.

There was a touch of truth in these words that knocked me like a blow; clothes, a bottle of usquebaugh and three and fivepence halfpenny in change made up indeed the most of what Alan and I had carried from Aucharn, and I saw that some of James' people had been blabbing in their dungeons.

"You see I know more than you fancied," he resumed in triumph. "And as for giving it this turn, great Mr. David, you must not suppose the government of Great Britain and Ireland will ever be stuck for want of evidence. We have men here in prison who will swear out their lives as we direct them—as I direct, if you prefer the phrase.

"So now you are to guess your part of glory if you choose to die. On the one hand, life, wine, women and a duke to be your hand gun; on the other, a rope to your craig, and a gibbet to clatter your bones on, and the lousiest, lowest story to hand down to your namesakes in the future that was ever told about a hired assassin. And see here!" he cried, with a formidable shrill voice, "see this paper that I pull out of my pocket. Look at the name there; it is the name of the great David, I believe, the ink scarce dry yet. Can you guess its nature? It is the warrant for your arrest, which I have but to touch this bell beside me to have executed on the spot. Once in the Tolbooth upon this paper, may God help you, for the die is cast!"

I must never deny that I was greatly horrified by so much baseness, and much unmanned by this immediacy and ugliness of my danger. Mr. Symon had already gloried in the changes of my hue. I make no doubt I was now no ruddier than my shirt. My speech besides trembled.

"There is a gentleman in this room," cried I. "I appeal to him. I put my life and credit in his hands."

Prestongrange shut his book with a snap. "I told you so, Symon," said he. "You have played your hand for all it was worth, and you have lost. Mr. David," he went on, "I wish you to believe it was by no choice of mine you were subjected to this proof. I wish you could understand how glad I am you should come forth from it with so much credit. You may not quite see how, but it is a little of a service to myself, for had our friend here been more successful than I was last night it might have appeared that he was a better judge of men than I. It might have appeared we were altogether in the wrong situations, Mr. Symon and myself, and I know our friend Symon to be ambitious," says he, striking lightly on Fraser's shoulder. "As for this stage play, it is over. My sentiments are very much engaged in your behalf, and whatever issue we can find to this unfortunate affair I shall make it my business to see it is adopted with tenderness to you."

These were very good words, and I could see besides that there was little love and perhaps a spice of genuine ill will between those two who were opposed to me. For all that, it was unmistakable this interview had been designed, perhaps rehearsed, with the consent of both. It was plain my adversaries were in earnest to try me by all methods, and now persuasion, flattery and menaces having been tried in vain I could not but wonder what would be their next expedient. My eyes besides were still troubled and my knees loose under me with the distress of the late ordeal, and I could do no more than stammer the same form of words, "I put my life and credit in your hands."

"Well, well," says he, "we must try to save them. And in the meanwhile let us return to gentler methods. You must not bear any grudge upon my friend, Mr. Symon, who did but speak by his brief. And even if you did conceive some malice against myself, who stood by and seemed rather to hold a candle, I must not let that extend to innocent members of my family. These are greatly engaged to see more of you, and I cannot consent to have my young women folk disappointed. Tomorrow they will be going to Hope Park, when I think it very proper you should make your bow. Call for me first, when I may possibly have something for your private hearing; then you shall be turned abroad again under the conduct of my misses, and until that time repeat to me your promise of secrecy."

I had done better to have instantly refused, but in truth I was beside the power of reasoning, did as I was bid, took my leave I know not how, and when I was forth again in the close and the door had shut behind me was glad to lean on a house wall and wipe my face. That horrid apparition, as I may call it, of Mr. Symon rang in my memory as a sudden noise rings after it is over on the ear. Tales of the man's father, of his falseness, of his manifold perpetual treacheries, rose before me from all that I had heard and read and joined on with what I had just experienced of himself. Each time it occurred to me the ingenious foulness of that calumny he had proposed to nail upon my character startled me afresh. To rob a child of so little than nothing more was certainly a paltry enterprise for two grown men, but my own tale, as it was to be represented in a court by Symon Fraser, appeared a fair second in every possible point of view of sordidness and cowardice.

The voices of two of Prestongrange's liveried men upon his doorstep recalled me to myself.

"Hae," said the one, "this billet as fast as ye can link to the captain."

"Is that for the cateran back again?" asked the other.

"It would seem sae," returned the first. "Him and Symon are seeking him."

"I think Prestongrange is gane gyte," says the second. "He'll have James More in bed with him next."

"Weel, it's neither your affair nor mine," says the first.

And they parted, the one upon his errand and the other back into the house.

This looked as ill as possible. I was scarce gone, and they were sending already for James More, to whom I thought Mr. Symon must have pointed, when he spoke of men in prison and ready to redeem their lives by all extremities. My scalp curdled among my hair, and the next moment the blood leaped in me to remember Catriona. Poor lass, her father stood to be hanged for pretty indefensible misconduct. What was yet more unpalatable, it now seemed he was prepared to save his four quarters by the worst of shame and the most foul of cowardly murders—murder by the false oath—and, to complete our misfortunes, it seemed myself was picked out to be the victim.

I began to walk swiftly and at random, conscious only of a desire for movement, air and the open country.

(To be Continued.)

MISCELLANEOUS.

CITY OF VICTORIA.

Court of Revision.

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing all complaints against the assessment of 1893 as made by the Assessor of the City of Victoria, will be held at the Council Chambers, City Hall, Victoria, on TUESDAY, the 27th day of JUNE, A.D.1893, at 10 o'clock a.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
May 22nd, 1893. my23 C.M.C.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the business of Hardware Merchants carried on by John Nicholes and Clement Edwin Renouf, at No. 61 Yates street, Victoria, B.C., has been taken over, and in future will be carried on by Nicholles & Renouf, Limited, to whom all monies due to the late firm are to be paid and by whom all liabilities of the late firm will be satisfied.

Dated this 31st. May.1893.

JOHN NICHOLES.
je1-1w C. E. RENOUF.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the Municipality of North Cowichan for a transfer to C. H. Dickie, of the license to sell intoxicating liquor by retail, now held by me for the Quamichan hotel at Duncan Station.

Dated this 11th day of May, 1893.
my12-30t JAMES DALEY.

NOTICE.

Mr. H. G. Downer having bought out the stock from the assignee, is prepared to do sanitary plumbing, gas, steam and hot water fitting, etc., in all three branches in a workmanlike manner at the old stand, 91 Yates street. None but practical workmen employed.
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To the Board of License Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria, B. C., and all others whom it may concern.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Stephen O'Brien, of the City of Victoria, B. C., saloon-keeper, intend at the next sitting of the Board of Licensed Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria, to apply for a transfer of my License to sell Liquor by retail at the premises known as the Senate Saloon, being 91 Government street, in the said City of Victoria, from the said premises to the premises being number 93 in the said street, and to transfer the said license from me unto Frederick Weldon of the said City.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this fifth day of May, 1893.

STEPHEN O'BRIEN,
m10 Senate Saloon.

NOTICE--MUNICIPAL ACT, 1892.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, to be held on Wednesday, the 14th day of June, 1893, for a renewal of my license to sell wines, beer and spirituous liquors by retail in the premises known as the Queen's Hotel, situate at the corner of Johnson and Store streets in the City of Victoria. Dated at Victoria, B.C., May 6. 1893.

Simon Leiser. my7-30t

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EDUCATION OFFICE,
VICTORIA, May 3rd, 1893.

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Victoria.....In High School Building.
Vancouver...In Central School Building.
Kamloops....In Public School Building.

Each applicant must forward a notice, thirty days before the examination, stating the class and grade of certificate for which he will be a candidate, the optional subjects selected, and at which of the above-named places he will he will attend.

Every notice of intention to be examined must be accompanied with a testimonial certifying to the moral character of the candidate.

Candidates are notified that all of the above requirements must be satisfied before their applications can be filed.

S. D. POPE,
my6 1m Superintendent of Education.

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nizi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1893.

SPRING ASSIZES.

[On Vancouver Island.]

Victoria.....Monday.....15th May.
Nanaimo .....Tuesday.....6th June.

[On Mainland.]

Vancouver.....Monday..... 1st May.
N. Westminster..Wednesday..7th June.
Kamloops.....Monday.....5th June.
Clinton.....Monday.....12th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[On Mainland.]

Richfield.....Monday.....11th September.
Clinton.....Wednesday.27th September.
Kamloops.....Monday.....2nd October.
Lytton.....Monday.....9th October.
N. Westminster..Wednesday..8th November.
Vancouver.....Wednesday.15th November.

[On Vancouver Island.]

Victoria.....Monday.....27th November.
Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....5th December.
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GEO. A. SARGISON

NOTARY PUBLIC,

Accountant & Agent,

48 LANGLEY ST.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at its next sitting, for a transfer of my license to sell wines and liquors by retail at the corner of Government and John streets, Victoria, B.C., to George E. Smith, of this city.

H. E. WARD.

Dated this 10th day of April, 1893. ap11-30t

STEAMERS AND SHIPS.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY.

China, Japan and Australian SS. Line.

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Steamship Miowera

(3500 tons) will sail from Vancouver B.C., for Honolulu, Sydney and Brisbane, 14th June, 1893.

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(3500 tons) will leave Vancouver for Honolulu, Sydney and Brisbane, 14th July, and regular monthly sailings thereafter.

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" Comox for Valdez Island, every alternate Thursday, 7 a.m. (returning same day.)
" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.

For freight or state rooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria Station, Store street. fe4

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TIME TABLE NO. 20

Takes effect June 1st, 1893.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 3 o'clock a m.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 15.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C P R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.

For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Sidney—Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports the 1st and 15th of each month at 18 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

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JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, May 28th, 1893.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Henry Clews' New York Circular—The Present Condition of Money and Stocks.

Business on the Exchanges—Operators Boldly Working for a Decline in Securities.

Henry Clews' circular dated New York, May 27, says: "So far as respects the local machinery of finance, there has been some improvement of conditions during the week. The further large recovery of the surplus reserves shown in the bank statement of the 20th instant has had a decidedly assuring effect. It meant that, from now until the usual fall demand for currency for moving the crops, the reserves are likely to stand in an unusually strong position, and that when that demand comes, the banks are likely to be well situated for meeting it. The general inference from this is that a reasonable probability is established for the money market maintaining a fairly easy condition henceforth and for the remainder of the year.

"This naturally has an assuring effect, for it favors the probability of holders of sound securities being able to satisfy all their borrowing wants, on good terms, for several months to come. The removal of doubt upon this point is an important gain; but it is not a cure all. There are certain doubtful factors affecting the market; such as the caution and disability of operators after the late severe shock, the tactics of the pessimist traders, the outcome in London of the great Australian failures, the partial depression of business at home, and the weak spots among a class of interior concerns

"Factors like these must have their influence upon the Stock Market, and may be expected to check a speedy recovery of prices. It would be an exaggeration of their importance to conclude that they legitimately forbid any advance beyond the present level of values. It is to be considered that prices now range but little above the panic level; that the railroads are making good earnings and are likely to continue to do so for some months ahead; that the competing supply of new investments coming upon the market is far below the average and is likely to remain so for some time; that, in periods of low quotations like the present, investors are apt to exchange bonds and other investments for railroad stocks which are relatively cheaper; and that when the London market has recovered from its Australian shock, the demand there for Americans is likely to revive. These facts constitute an element of resiliency which is likely not only to hold transient downward reactions in check, but also to exert a steady lifting force upon prices; and that tendency has been manifest in the improved tone of the market during the last half of this week, both abroad and at home.

"The world's crop prospects have lately shown an improvement highly encouraging. In April a general failure of winter wheat seemed almost inevitable, with the result of a serious deficiency in the supply of that staple. Now, in England and most of the Continental countries, the probabilities favor about an average crop and even Russia affords promise of a leap from a famine yield to a good average output. In this country, wheat shows a recovery from the conditions upon which a crop of 440,000,000 bushels has been predicted, while spring wheat and corn planting are promising favorably. This change may not favor the interests of the speculative holders who are now carrying a large surplus from our last year's wheat crop; but that is a small offset against the universal benefits arising from cheap food the world over.

"The most depressing circumstance with which this centre has at present to contend is found in the state of trade in the interior. This condition seems to have originated almost entirely in the late monetary scare and the attendant collapse of the "industrials." It had been preceded by a sound, conservative and fairly active and profitable condition of trade. The scare suggested by the large gold exports, the drain upon the Treasury gold reserve, and the sharp precautions of our local banks, together caused the Eastern and interior banks to contract their accommodation to customers, and suddenly the financial sky became lowering and black from Maine to California. In this way credit has become suddenly paralyzed in every section; the weak spots in trade, in financing and in banking have been roughly probed, and a large amount of failures have been precipitated. It is safe to say, however, of these suspensions that, in a large majority of the cases, they have not arisen from real insolvency, but from a sudden and more or less indiscriminate withdrawal of the usual credit facilities.

"Considering the severity and the universality of this contraction of credit, the wonder is that its effects in the way of suspensions have not been much more numerous. This evidence of the soundness of the general commercial situation should pass for something with those whose incontinent timidity in lending has done so much towards producing this condition of things. There is evidence enough to show that those fears have exceeded any real occasion; and the true course, at the present stage, for the New York banks to their solvent merchant customers is to make their present large surplus more freely available. The only possible result of a different policy must be to further aggravate a situation already made needlessly severe. The present discrimination against the mercantile community at our large centres may, unless speedily moderated, needlessly bring many more to the verge of suspension. The situation is one that calls for a broad and intelligent comprehension of the real condition of business and for a judgment that understands how to protect the lender by protecting the borrower. A little more of that policy would soon produce a great change in the tone and condition of business throughout the country at large. For the present, we deem it safe to buy moderately of good stocks on the downward turns."

NEW YORK, June 2.—Pacific railroad bonds closed as follows: Union first, 106½ bid; Union sinking funds, 102⅜ bid; Centrals, 105⅝ bid; money on call, 2 to 3 per cent. Foreign Exchange posted rates, sterling 487 for sixty days 420 on demand. The dealings at the Stock Exchange to-day were characterized by marked depression and lower prices from London at the opening. The strained condition of banking and commercial credits at the West End, the further exports of gold added to the boldness of those operating for a decline. Wherever it was supposed that long stock could be reached, an attack was made, and not without result. Among the heaviest losses were 3¾ in Louisville and Nashville, and 2 in Rock Island and Lackawanna. The remainder of the list yielded ½ to 1½ per cent. After delivery hour Louisville and Nashville recovered 1⅜ and other stocks ½ to 1 per cent. The rally was due chiefly to purchases to cover short contracts. The sales reached 271,326 shards. The market closed steady in tone. Closing bids: Canadian Pacific 75½, Central Pacific 24½, Commercial Cable 27, D. L. & W. 138, D. & R. G. 13, Erie, 17; Wells Fargo, 140; Great Northern pfd., 113½; Missouri Pacific, 35½; Northern Pacific, 13½; Northern Pacific pfd., 34; Northwest, 106⅞; Oregon Vavigation Co., 60; Oregon Improvement, 12; Pacific Mail, 18⅞; Texas Pacific, 7½; Union Pacific, 27½; W. U. Telegraph, 81⅝. Bar silver, 82⅝

NEW YORK, June 2—Flour, quiet; barley, steady. Wheat opened steady at ⅜c to ½c advance on foreign buying and local covering, but declined 1c to 1¼c on weaker cables, increased receipts and small clearances, a weaker west and a failure at Chicago. Closing prices: June, 73⅞c; July, 75⅝c; Sept., 78½c; Dec., 82⅜c. Hops, dull, firm and unchanged.

LONDON, June 2—Markets dull and unchanged. Coffee, dull and steady. Sugar, firmer but dull; fair refining, 3⅜c; centrifugals, 96° test, 4⅛c.

CHICAGO, June 2.—Cattle slow, 10c. @ 15c. lower. Hogs active, and 10c. higher. Sheep active and steady at 10c. higher. Lambs, $5 25 @ $7.

FRISCO'S WORLD'S FAIR.

Proposal to Hold an Exposition in Golden Gate Park Not Well Received.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—Only ex-Mayor Pond, who is president of the Chamber of Commerce, appeared at the Mayor's office, at 11 o'clock to-day, in response to a call sent out by Mayor Ellert for a meeting to discuss the proposition to hold a commercial world's fair in Golden Gate Park, in December next. Mr. Pond expressed grave doubts of the feasibility of the scheme. Mr. Watkins, of the Board of Trade, and President Barry Baldwin, of the Traffic Association, telephoned their inability to attend. Mr. Newman, of the Produce Exchange, who appeared later, said he thought the city should be thoroughly canvassed before anything were decided. Altogether the tone of the responses to the call was anything but encouraging, but the Mayor decided to give the project another trial. He accordingly set next Monday, at 3 p.m., as the time for conference with the same gentlemen upon the same subject.

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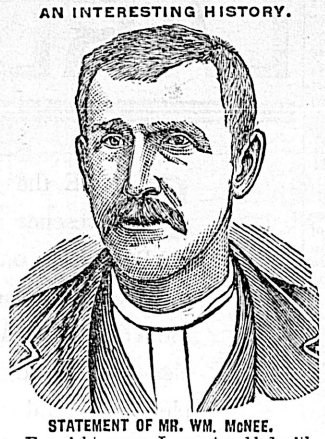

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ELEVEN RUNNING SORES

developed on it which reduced me to a living skeleton (I lost 70 lbs. in four months). Friends advised me to go to the Hospital; but I would not, for I knew they would take my leg off. The doctor then wanted to split it open and scrape the bone, but I was too weak to stand the operation. One old lady said it had turned to black erysipelas and could never be cured. I had never heard of Burdock Blood Bitters then, but I read of a minister, Rev. Mr. Stout, who had been cured of a severe abscess on the neck by B.B.B., after medical aid had failed, and I thought I would try it. I washed the leg with the Bitters and took them according to directions. After using one bottle I could walk on crutches, after taking three, I threw away the crutches, took a scythe and went to work in the field. At the end of the sixth bottle my leg was entirely healed up; pieces of loose bone had worked out of it and the cords came back to their natural places again. That was nine years ago and it has never broken out since. I can walk five miles to-day as fast as anyone, and all this I owe to B. B. B., which certainly saved my leg, if not my life. I cheerfully recommend it to all sufferers. Give B. B. B. a trial, it will cure you as it did me.

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my4 T. J. JONES, L.D.S.

NOTICE.

Application to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, to renew the license of the Rock Bay hotel, situated on the corner of Work and Bridge streets. Alex. Cameron, applicant. my9 30t

NOTICE.

Take notice that F. G. Vernon will apply at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners to be held on Wednesday, the 14th day of June, 1893, for a renewal of the license granted and bearing date the 22nd day of March, 1893, for the vending of wines, spirits, beer or other fermented or intoxicating liquors by retail, in that building on the north west corner of View and Douglas streets, city of Victoria, known as the Turner or Vernon block, to be used for hotel purposes.

Dated this 10th day of May A.D., 1893.

The British Columbia Land and Investment Agency (Limited) agents for applicant.
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TAKE NOTICE

That I shall apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at its next sitting, to be held in and for the City of Victoria, for a transfer of the retail liquor license now held by me for the Mirror Saloon, situated on a portion of lot 423, Victoria City, corner of Broad and Yates streets, in the City of Victoria, to Edward Legg, of 47 Yates street, Victoria, saloon keeper.

Dated 24th day of April, 1893.
ap25-1m JAMES MUNGER.

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COWICHAN LAKE.

Stage leaves Duncans, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday; returning Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday, to catch afternoon train.

mc28-6m PRICE & JAYNES, PROP'S

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 1, Block X7., Lot 7, Block XXIII., and Lot 1, Block XLIX. (Map 266), Nelson City.

Whereas the Certificate of Title of Henry Langley to the above hereditaments, bearing date the 3rd day of September, 1890, has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate of such Certificate.

Notice is hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 17th May, 1893. my17 1m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Suburban Lots XXV. and XXVI., Esquimalt District.

Whereas the Certificate of Title of the late George Foster Foster to the above hereditaments, bearing date the 3rd day of July, 1867, has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate, notice is hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, May 27th, 1893. 27-1m

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at the sittings of the Board to be held in June, 1893, for a license to sell by retail wines, spirits, beer, and other fermented and intoxicating liquors, in and upon the part known as the basement of the building situate upon lots ten (10) and eleven (11), block seventy-seven (77), Victoria City—the Board of Trade Building.

Dated Victoria, B.C., May 5th, 1893.

E. ELWORTHY,
Secretary British Columbia Board of Trade Building Association, Limited Liability.
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NOTICE.

During my absence from British Columbia Mr. Alex. J. Mount, of the Transfer Co'y, Victoria, holds my full power of attorney.

G. BYRNES,
Victoria, April 4th, 1893. ap4-1m

MISCELLANEOUS.

B. C. PENITENTIARY.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Inspector of Penitentiaries, Department of Justice, Ottawa, endorsed "Tender for Supplies, B. C. Penitentiary," will be received until 12 o'clock noon of Tuesday, 20th June next, for supplying the British Columbia Penitentiary, from July 1st, 1893, to 30th June, 1894, with the following articles:—

1. Coal, B.C., best quality screened.
2. Coal, anthracite, best quality screened.
3. Salmon (red), fresh and salt.
4. Groceries.
5. Beef.
6. Flour, "Strong Bakers"
7. Leather and Findings, for shoe shop, detail d lists of which can be obtained on application at the Penitentiary.
8. Drugs and medicines.
9. Hardware.
10. Dry Goods.

Neither the lowest or any tender necessarily accepted.

Samples may be seen and blank forms of tender obtained on application to the Accountant at the Penitentiary, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. daily.

No tender will be considered unless on the blank forms.

Imperial weights and measures required.

All articles supplied to be of the best quality.

Extensions must be carried out and additions completed.

A cheque made payable to the Honourable the Minister of Justice, equal to 5 p. c. of the amount of the tender, and marked "good" by the Bank upon which it is drawn, must accompany each tender.

ARTHUR H. McBRIDE,
New Westminster, B.C., Warden.
May 31st, 1893. jc2 6t

Dr. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE.

THE ORIGINAL and ONLY GENUINE

Vice-Chancellor Sir W. PAGE WOOD stated publicly in court that Dr. J. COLLIS BROWNE was undoubtedly the inventor of Chlorodyne, that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that it had been sworn to.—*Times*, July 13 1864.

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DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE—The Right Hon. Earl RUSSELL communicated to the College of Physicians and J. T. Davenport that he had received information to the effect that the only remedy of any service in Cholera was Chlorodyne.—*See Lancet*, Dec. 31, 1864.

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MARVELLOUS Rheumatic Liniment and Mixture

Rapid and Effective Cure.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 17, 1893.

To Dean & Cryderman, druggists.

GENTLEMEN,—With much pleasure I add my testimony to your valuable Marvellous Rheumatic Cure. For three months I suffered terrible pain. Could not move only by the aid of two sticks. I have only taken two bottles of the medicine and two of the liniment, and I can now go without sticks, and hope after the third bottle to go to work.

Yours very thankfully,
S. NORMAN,
No. 48 Oswego street, corner Michigan street.

If you have Rheumatism, Lame Back or any Severe Ache or Pain, The Marvelous Rheumatic Liniment will Cure it quickly.

DEAN & CRYDERMAN

DRUGGISTS

Sole Agents for B.C. 57 Yates st.
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BARRELS.

A number of empty Barrels, formerly containing varnish are for sale at "The Colonist" office. a11

NOTICE—Application for renewal of Liquor License for Hotel Dallas, will be made at the next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners. WM. JENSEN.
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The Colonist.

SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 1893.

PASSENGERS.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—David Wilson, J L Ferguson, A Painer, Mrs G Cox and child, Mrs Stewart, H McGregor, C F Seal, A H Crake, J Wright, S R Prescott and wife, S Mackeon, M L de Vilnoning, Mrs J Deming, Miss Leggart, C F Jones, T Le Blou, A Shannon, H D Bush, C A McRae, J O Marston and wife, P H McKee, Jos Haslam T H Robertson and wife, P B Macauly, Joe Eddy, Joe Ridler, Miss F McKee.

Per Str. UMATILLA from San Francisco—E P Nathan, wife and two children, J Goldin and wife, Stanley Goldin, Charlotte Goldin, George Goldin, Alex McKenzie, Roderick McLeod, Mrs H H Bock, Miss Adams, Miss Comilia Harte, Miss D Harte, Miss Alice Magan, Miss Clara Taylor, H G Mason, R H Morrow, P M Lane, L W Quilliard, Mrs S C Crump, M P McLean, Louis Shafer, Mrs Hay and daughter, A T Pinly, Jessie H Pinly, W Robertson, C Smith, Miss Molloy, Mrs S A Quilliard, Miss H Chase, Miss F Chase, Miss A Dayton, Miss B Wood, Miss Parsons, Mrs Parsons, Miss Parsons, Miss Parsons, Mrs A C Mars, Chas Kimmick and wife, M Ecrom, W E Allen.

Per Steamer ISLANDER from Vancouver—Mrs J W Currall, Mrs Calvert, T L Lord, G W Hornshaw, J V Armstrong, Mrs Thos Walker, W B Young, R E Cooper, J Teeporten, E S Wilkinson, Jno Smith, R Robinson, J B Smith, Jas Bruce, E A Quigley, B Spain, W Quan, Jas Smith, Master Currall, F Waterman, Mrs Lord, Mrs Hornshaw, S Whafford, Miss Mesher, Thos Hooper, J Spellman, Miss Scott, J P Nickson, C C Edger, Mrs J McCrimen, R H Potter, J C Fergusson, D A Smith, K Campbell, J Hawman, C Morrensey, Miss Currall, T H Allcock, F B Gregory, A E Suckling, Thos Walker, Mrs H E Connan, J Chapman, Wm Tufts, Mrs F W Hart, Wm Bremner, W G McKenzie, W C Mathews, G E Beith, J J Taylor, R H Cheney, F Miller, L Larell, E Harvey.

CONSIGNEES.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—Turner B & Co, Langley & Co, F Norris, Hy F W Behnson, Lenz & Leiser, R Porter & Son, A McGregor & Son, T N Hibben & Co, Hy Short & Son, G Powell & Co, J Sommers, Mrs E Berryman, H P Diplock, R C Planing Mills, Creamer & L, Chas Clarke, Weiler Bros, Sehl H E F Co, H Hudson, Fell & Co, Hotel Victoria, Ed Stevens, N E T & L Co, Union Ice Co.

Per Str. UMATILLA from San Francisco—P McQuade & Son, R Baker & Son, R P Rithet & Co, S Leiser, Lee Hop, S N Hartman, T N Hibben & Co, T Haughton & Co, Thos Shotbolt, Turner B & Co, Thos W Fletcher, Thos Earle, Vaio & B, Wm Webber, Wilson Bros, E Chungranes, E Escalet, Erskine, Wall & Co, E P Nathan, Fell & Co, Fuller & Goodwin, F R Stewart, G C Sauer, Hampson & Co, H Saunders, Hudson Bay Co, H Cole, H Short & Son, J & A Clearihue, John Partridge, J H Todd & Son, J B Jones, Jno Barnsley & Co, J H Franck, J W Andrezejewsky, Langley & Co, Marvin & T, Mt Baker Hotel, McMillan & H, Mrs H H Bock, Abram Turner, Allice & Auld, A J Rowbotham, A McGregor & Son, Albion Iron Wks Co, Brackman & Ker M Co, Colonist P & P Co, Canada Paint Co, Carne & Munsie, C Morley & Co, C Morley, C W Rogers, D H Ross & Co, J H Todd & Son and Wells, Fargo & Co.

Per Steamer ISLANDER from Vancouver—Merchants Ex, Lenz & Leiser, Supt of Stores, Thos Earle, R E Cooper, W Smith, Gilmore & McC, Carne & Munsie, T Kains, D K Changrains, E B Marvin, Geo Vienna, J H Todd, Johns Bros, John O..., J Tollick, M & L Young, P T Patton, S Leiser, Wilson Bros, Fuller & Goodwin, L Dicken..., Dom Exp Co.

BIRTHS.

MORSE—At No. 1 Government street, on the 2nd instant, the wife of Hiram W. Alcott Morse, a son prematurely.

DIED.

KIRK—On the 2nd instant, at his residence Esquimalt road, Andrew Kirk, a native of Fifeshire, Scotland, aged 44 years.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Sunday), at 2:30 p. m., under the auspices of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, from Foresters' hall, Government street Victoria.

Friends are invited to attend.

PRINCESS MAY'S PRESENT.

The Subscription Opened in Victoria, and a List Placed Down Town.

Victoria's subscription to the fund for the wedding present to be sent by the women of Canada to the Princess May has been well started, and from the hearty endorsation given by all before whom Mrs. Dewdney has brought the matter, it is evident that the list of contributors will be large. Among the ladies who are assisting in the matter are Mrs. Beaven, wife of the Mayor, and Mrs. Higgins, wife of the Speaker of the Legislature. To suit the convenience of the general public, a subscription list has been placed at the bookstore of T. N. Hibben & Co., on Government street, who have kindly consented to receive contributions, which may be made either in the proper names of the subscribers or anonymously.

It is not expected that any large amounts will be given, but anything from five cents or ten cents up will be gladly received. Besides this list, there will be one at Government House, and some of the ladies interested in the matter will make personal calls, to expedite the business. The nature of the gift has not yet been decided on, but it is suggested that a set of silver fox skins, very fashionable as part of a lady's attire in England, would be appropriate.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

S.S. Romulus Out of the Dry Dock—The Umatilla Arrives.

The steamer Romulus came out of the dry dock yesterday morning, and was towed around to the new outer wharf shortly afterwards by the steamer Isabel. The big collier has been in dock for about five weeks, during which time she has received several new plates and has had her injuries doctored quickly and in a first class manner. It is understood she will reload the cargo of coal she discharged at the outer dock and then proceed to San Francisco. Local mariners say she is one of the best adapted vessels for carrying coal on the Pacific coast.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

Steamship Umatilla arrived from San Francisco at 4 o'clock yesterday morning, and landed here a fair freight and 46 saloon passengers, the majority of whom are destined for overland points.

MARINE NOTES.

The Quadra left for the Gulf yesterday afternoon to attend some buoys in the vicinity of Vancouver.

Tug Badger took a quantity of provisions around to H.M.S. Garnet yesterday.

Steamer Barbara Boscowitz will probably sail for the North this evening.

ENTERED.

Str. Islander ....from Vancouver.
" City of Kingston.... " Port Townsend.
" Umatilla........... " San Francisco.
" Isabel............. " Port Angeles.
" Phantom............ " Vancouver.

CLEARED.

Str. Islander............. for Vancouver.
" City of Kingston.... " Port Townsend.
" Umatilla........... "

Bird cages, hammocks, ice cream freezers, camp beds, camp tables, chairs, etc., at Weiler Bros'.

No Scotch whiskey like it, Mackie's White Horse Cellar.

Cheap dinner sets at Cheapside.

Trout

fishing opens on the 15th. Get your tackle at Fox's, 78 Government street. A fine variety to select from.

ANOTHER STRANGE SUICIDE.

Andrew Kirk, Following His Brother's Example, Takes His Own Life.

The Surrounding Circumstances Mysterious and Strange—Was it Insanity or What?

Mysterious and inexplicable as were the circumstances surrounding the suicide of James G. Kirk eight days ago at his brother's home on the Esquimalt road, there has been added still more mystery and still more obscurity, its cause being a second suicide, that of the younger brother, Andrew, who yesterday morning sent a bullet to his brain, thus recklessly ending his life.

This latter tragedy of itself appears most strange. Without a hint of what he was about to do, without any previous indication of agitation, and with a deliberate calmness which is surprising, Andrew Kirk fired the fatal shot. It was about fifteen minutes after 11 o'clock in the morning. He had been up and working in the garden for some time. About 10 o'clock Mrs. Adams, a close friend of Mrs. Kirk, came over to the house to spend the day. The two women were seated in the dining-room sewing, when Kirk came in. He said good morning to Mrs. Adams, inquired after her health and chatted on ordinary subjects for a while. At times he walked up and down the room, seeming to be worried, but not nervous and not agitated. In the course of conversation he referred to his late brother's affairs, which he was looking after, and said he must go over to Victoria again during the day to complete some business he had been arranging the day previous. Then he washed his hands and face and went into the front bedroom to dress.

Scarce two minutes, if as long, had intervened, when his wife and Mrs. Adams heard a noise as of some one falling. They rushed to the front of the house, Mrs. Kirk leading. Looking into the parlor, which is behind the bedroom, they saw nothing to indicate the source of the noise they had heard. Mrs. Kirk then went further down the hallway and opened the door of the bedroom. What she saw there she did not tell Mrs. Adams; but with a passionate exclamation, "Oh, Andrew," she caught hold of Mrs. Adams' arm and dragged her back to the diningroom. Without a pause they ran on out through the side door and across to the Half-Way house, just one door below, where, in broken and hurried words, it was explained that something terrible had happened. Mr. Fred. Jones, the proprietor of the Half-Way house, ran over to the cottage. In the front room he saw what it was that had made Mrs. Kirk turn away in horror. The body of Andrew Kirk, her husband, was lying on the floor, with blood pouring from the nose and mouth, a revolver beside him, and his face set hard in death, although the blood was yet quite warm. The first thing Mr. Jones did was to examine the revolver. It was a British Bulldog, a clumsy, heavy weapon. The hammer was resting upon an empty cartridge, and in the next chamber was a loaded one, which Mr. Jones promptly removed, so as to make the weapon safe; for, as he said at the inquest, Mrs. Kirk was half-crazed, and no one could tell what she might have been tempted to do. Then the blinds were drawn, and the door locked to await the arrival of the coroner.

Nothing could more clearly indicate deliberate, intentional suicide, than the surroundings of the body. The little room contained a bed, two chairs and a bureau with a mirror, in the corner opposite the bed. One of the chairs, a small rocker, was near the head of the bed, and half turned towards the bureau. The mirror was tilted upwards. Kirk evidently sat on the rocking chair with the revolver in his hand, took aim by the mirror, and with the muzzle of the weapon pointing upwards and pressed tightly under his chin, drew the trigger. His beard around the hole where the bullet entered was blackened and burned as also was the flesh. The bullet passed up-wards, shattering the roof of the mouth and lodged somewhere about the base of the brain. All this was so clear that no post mortem examination was necessary. It did not need an expert to say by what means death was produced. Death must have been practically instantaneous, and falling headlong to the floor the body rested on the left side stretched out at length except the head, which was doubled over and jammed between the shoulders and the chair at the foot of the bed. The carpet was stained with the blood which ran into two small pools alongside the head. The only other blood was on the trowsers just above the knees, showing that before falling Kirk must have given one gasp which spurted the blood from his nose. The bed by which the body lay had no marks of the tragedy, and the counterpane had on it no stain of any kind. Kirk had taken off his coat and vest, but was otherwise dressed.

At 2:30 p.m. the coroner Dr. Hasell empanelled a jury consisting of William Holmes, foreman; Richard Graham, Charles W. Kirk, John Day, Benjamin Carter and Joseph Price. After viewing the body they proceeded to inquire into the tragedy. Mrs. Adams was called and told her story, which is practically that given above. Mr. Jones deposed to finding the body still warm, and identified the revolver. The only other witness called was Mr. A. D. Grieve, a friend of both James and Andrew Kirk. He said he had seen Andrew on Thursday night, having been with him for some time working in the garden. The deceased was then in a most despondent state of mind over his brother's affairs and feared he would not be able to keep up his payments to the building society and might have to give up the house. Witness had encouraged him, talked things over and had shown him how to manage so that everything would come out all right. He told deceased he must not worry, and telling him how nobly his wife was trying to overcome her feelings and cheer up, urged him to try and comfort her. Kirk promised he would do so, saying he "would be a man and cheer up." When they parted Kirk seemed to be feeling much easier in mind. Witness could not identify the revolver that had been used, but thought it was the same one he had seen in Kirk's house some two years ago. Deceased had one brother and three sisters in Scotland, and there had been no insanity in the family.

This closed the evidence, Mrs. Kirk not being called, as she was in a critical condition from nervous prostration. The jury, after brief consideration, returned a verdict of "suicide while suffering from temporary despondency."

Such, briefly related, is the story of what may be called the second tragedy. Here, within eight days, in the same house, possibly for the same reasons or on account of the same causes, two brothers have committed suicide, leaving no explanation. James, who was the first to take his life, used a pocket knife, severing the jugular vein. His brother used a revolver, and only in the mode is there any difference in the two occurrences. To account for either is but to set up a theory. The plea of business troubles or financial embarrassment may be well dismissed, for both James and Andrew had good positions, were earning good wages, and could have lived along without worry, so far as money was concerned.

James Kirk was an employe of the Esquimalt Water Works Co. at a salary of $125 per month. He was supposed to be well-to-do and saving, but left very little except a life insurance policy, one of the conditions of which is that it should be invalid should the insured commit suicide. Andrew Kirk had what was left by James. He was a machinist employed in the Albion Iron Works; a steady, competent workman and earned fair wages. He was about 42 years of age; a native of Fifeshire, Scotland, and was married about two years ago at Vancouver, his bride having come out there from Scotland. Deceased was a prominent member of Western Star lodge No. 7, A.O. U.W., having his life insured in the order in favor of his wife for $2,000. The funeral will take place on Sunday. Mrs. Kirk, suffering under the strain of her brother-in-law's death, was barely keeping up, and when she saw her husband stretched dead by his own hand, the shock was more than she could bear, and she has been completely prostrated.

TWENTIETH ANNUAL MEETING.

The Protestant Orphans' Home Shown by Report to Be in a Flourishing Condition.

Election of Officers and of Committees of Management—The President's Report.

The twentieth annual meeting of the subscribers to the B. C. Protestant Orphans' Home was held last evening at the Home on Rae street, the President, Mr. F. H. Worlock, presiding. The meeting was opened with prayer by Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge, after which the Hon. Secretary, Mr. Charles Hayward, read the minutes of the last annual meeting, which were adopted.

The President then read the following report:

In submitting to the subscribers the twentieth annual report, the committee have again thankfully to acknowledge the liberal support accorded to the institution.

During the year the Protestant Orphans' Home has been incorporated under the Friendly Societies Act, 1891, in legal form. The management of the Home and the care of the children individually by the matron, Mrs. Walker, is a source of great satisfaction to your committee, and to this cause, and the untiring exertions of the ladies' committee, the continued success of our Home is largely due.

We have to tender our thanks to Dr. Milne for gratuitous and prompt attention whenever his services have been required. We are pleased to add the children are all now enjoying good health.

The total number of children cared for and provided with a home during the year was 64; admitted, 20; taken out, 22; at present in the Home, 42, girls and boys.

Since our last report, Mr. S. M. Robbins, of Nanaimo, has greatly assisted us by having collections made in that city on behalf of the Home, which has contributed $405 85 to our funds. We have also benefited during the past year by the receipt of a legacy of $500 from the estate of our late lamented president, A. A. Green. In addition we have to acknowledge donations of clothing, fruit, vegetables, etc., from many kind and thoughtful friends.

The applications for admission being greater than our building could accommodate, your committee have rented an adjoining cottage, which has been occupied by us for some time. With this additional room we hope to be able to meet all requirements until the new building is finished.

Your committee, in their last report, referred to the insufficiency of accommodation in view of the increased demands for admission, and expressed a hope that they would soon be enabled to provide a more commodious building. This anticipation they are about to realize, owing to the generosity of the late John George Taylor, who bequeathed his estate to this institution, which realized the magnificent sum of $30,358, and which sum we have received from the trustee, Mr. P. R. Brown. Your committee appropriated the whole of this sum to building purposes; they purchased a suitable site lot 28, Hillside avenue, containing 12 40-100 acres, and called for plans with the following essential provisions:

(*a*). The building must make provision for 100 children in all, being an equal number of both sexes, for whom the sleeping accommodation, consisting of 100 beds, and conveniences must be entirely separate.

(*b*). The building must be substantially built of bricks or stone, and must be provided with heating apparatus throughout.

Your committee have to thank Mr. Thomas Alsop for his valuable aid, and also Mr. R. Owen Alsop, who visited several similar institutions in England and furnished us with drawings which formed the basis upon which all plans sent in were to be prepared, thus giving a great amount of valuable time and experience gratuitously to our aid. Thirteen sets of plans were sent in and each one duly considered. One set of plans, which proved to be that of Mr. Thomas Hooper, architect, of this city, was selected. Tenders were at once called for, and, after due deliberation, the contract was alloted to Messrs. McGregor & Geeves, at $20,310. The building is rapidly advancing, and your committee have arranged for the laying of the corner stone by the Grand Lodge of A.F. and A.M., on the 24th inst.

Your committee have to thank Mr. R. McKay Fripp, architect, of Vancouver, for his assistance in examining every detail of each plan, and so aiding them in making their selection. Mr. Fripp very generously donated his fee of $50 to the funds of the institution.

It now only remains to refer to the treasurer's report appended, containing full details of receipts and payments. In contemplating the necessary expenditure in our larger building, we shall have to ask our friends for additional aid, in order to meet our daily expenditure; but we feel, in the future as in the past, we shall not ask in vain.

In conclusion, the committee desire to return thanks to God for the great measure of success and prosperity He has been pleased to grant our institution, and trust that every effort made for the care of the destitute orphan children may receive His blessing.

FRED. H. WORLOCK,
President.

Victoria, B.C., June 2, 1893.

The treasurer's report was then read. It showed a balance on hand from last year of 2607 30, and receipts during the year, including $500 legacy of the late president, Mr. A. A. Green, $3,177.43, making a total of $5,784.73. The expenses, including $150 for a monument to the late Mr. J. G. Taylor, were $3 680.94, leaving a balance on hand of $2,103 79. The building account showed receipts from the executor of the estate of the late J. G. Taylor of $30,358, ous of which $12,500 was paid for 12,40 100th acres, Hillside avenue, for site for building, and $500 architects' fees, in fact, leaving a balance out at 5 per cent. interest of $17,358.

The treasurer's accounts had all been examined and certified to by the auditor, Mr. W. H. Mason.

Mr. N. Shakespeare moved, seconded by Bishop Cridge, that the reports, which were considered very satisfactory, be adopted. Carried.

The following committee of management for the ensuing year was elected, viz: Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge, Rev. Mr. Cleaver, Rev. Dr. Campbell, Rev. P. McF. Macleod, Rev. E. Robson, Messrs. Percy Brown, Chas. Hayward, Herbert Carmichael, N. Shakespeare, F. H. Worlock, Henry Jewell and James Hutcheson.

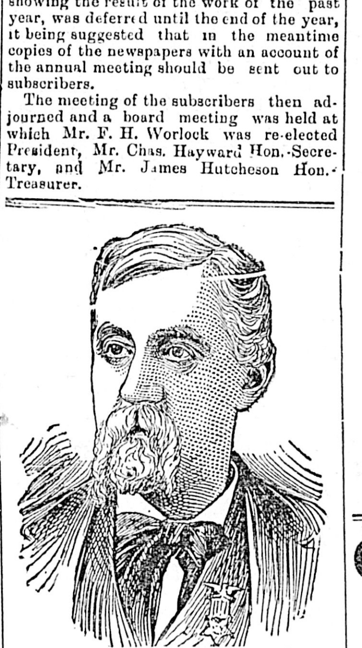
The ladies' committee appointed was as follows: Mrs. Cridge, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Thomas Earle, Mrs. Kent, Mrs. Hutcheson, Mrs. N. Shakespeare, Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. G. L. Milne, Mrs. Sargison, Mrs. Hayward and Mrs. Gillespie.

The Treasurer, Mr. Hutcheson, reported having received a check from Mr. Robert Selleck for $19.75, on behalf of the contracting plasterers of Victoria, to whom the Board desire to return thanks.

The matter of the laying of the corner stone of the new home was brought up and discussed, and it was decided unanimously to have the inscription thereon as follows: "B. C. Protestant Orphans Home, erected 1893. This site was purchased and building erected with the legacy of the late John G. Taylor."

A proposition to have the annual reports printed in pamphlet form and circulated, showing the result of the work of the past year, was deferred until the end of the year, it being suggested that in the meantime copies of the newspapers with an account of the annual meeting should be sent out to subscribers.

The meeting of the subscribers then adjourned and a board meeting was held at which Mr. F. H. Worlock was re-elected President, Mr. Chas. Hayward Hon.-Secretary, and Mr. James Hutcheson Hon.-Treasurer.



Comrade G. W. Hammond

of Root Post, G. A. R., of Syracuse, N. Y.

Wounded at Gettysburg

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"I was in the Army of the Potomac and in the great battle of Gettysburg was struck in the ankle by a minnie ball, which smashed the bone. My leg was amputated in the field hospital, and after a long time it healed. I was discharged and went home. After 8 years

My Wound Broke Open

afresh. Dr. Pease amputated an inch of the bone, and it healed. Four years later it once more opened, and for eight years how I suffered! I do not believe it possible for a human being to suffer worse agony. During this time I had to go on crutches, being unable to wear a wooden leg. Whenever possible I relieved my sufferings by taking opiate, but when I was obliged to go without it, I suffered fearfully and thought I **should go crazy.** I tried every thing I could get with my limited means. Physicians said I would never be any better. Finally my

Blood Became Poisoned

and it broke out all over my face and on some parts of my body so that my face is all covered with scars now. One day I read of what Hood's Sarsaparilla would do. The first dollar I got I sent and bought a bottle and began taking it. A week or two later, my wife in dressing my leg, said it seemed to be improving, and after taking

Hood's Sarsaparilla

a few months, thank God (and I say it reverently), the sores all over my body had healed, and now, four years later, have never shown any sign of reappearing." GEORGE M. HAMMOND, 219 Magnolia Street, Syracuse, N. Y.

Col. C. A. Weaver

Commander of Root Post, G. A. R., himself a one armed veteran, fully confirms Mr. Hammond's statement, and J. L. Belden, the pharmacist, also endorses it.

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D. F. DOUGLAS, Resident Agent,
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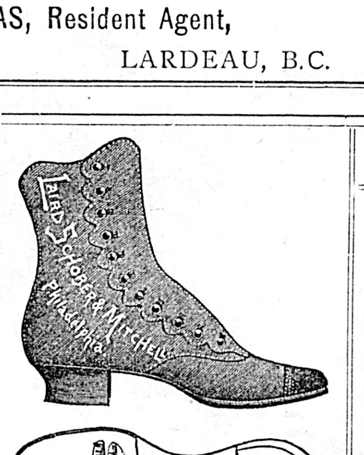

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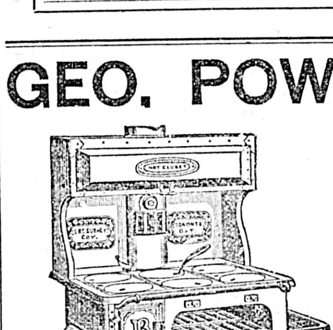

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AUCTION SALES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT

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BETWEEN

James Charles Prevost, Harriet Jane (formerly Harriet McNeill), Rebecca Baker (formerly Rebecca McNeill), Hamilton Moffatt and Lucy Moffatt (his wife), Matilda Jesse and Fanny Young.

PLAINTIFFS,

AND

Donald Henry McNeill, Alfred McNeill (the younger), George Frederick McNeill, William McNeill, Edward Hamilton McNeill, James Andrew McNeill, Lucy Margaret Clifford (formerly Lucy Margaret McNeill), Matilda Rebecca Carter (formerly Matilda Rebecca McNeill), Helen Fanny McNeill (an infant), Alfred McNeill (the elder) and Mary McNeill,

DEFENDANTS.

Pursuant to the order made herein by the Hon. M. W. Tyrwhitt Drake, one of the Judges of the Court on the 12th day of May, 1893, Mr. Joshua Davies the person appointed by the Court, will sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION

—AT THE—

Board of Trade Building, Bastion Street,

in the City of Victoria, on

TUESDAY, JUNE 13th, 1893

at 12 o'clock noon, all that certain

Freehold :: Property

Sub-divided into eight Lots, containing one acre and upwards, and described as

BLOCK A, of SECTION XXII, VICTORIA DISTRICT,

being part of the McNeill Estate.

Also at the same time and place, under the direction of James Charles Prevost, Esq., Trustee under the Will of the late Martha McNeill, all that certain other Freehold Property, sub-divided into 32 Lots, containing one acre and upwards, and described on the map or plan as

Block F, of Section XXII, Victoria District,

being part of the McNeill Estate.

Full particulars, terms, and conditions of sale, with maps, can be obtained from Messrs. Yates, Jay & Russell, 22 Bastion street; Eberts & Taylor, 30 Langley street; McPhillips, Wootton & Barnard, Board of Trade Building, and at office No 7, Ground Floor, Board of Trade Building, office of

JOSHUA DAVIES,
AUCTIONEER.

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MORTGAGE SALE

OF VALUABLE FREEHOLD PROPERTY.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage which shall be produced at the time of the sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, H. Cuthbert & Company, Auctioneers, at their sale rooms, Broad street, in the city of Victoria, B. C., on

Monday, the 12th Day of June, 1893, at 11 a.m.

THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY, VIZ: ALL THAT

Parcel or Tract of Land

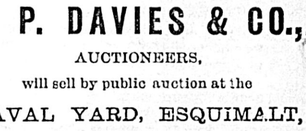
and premises situate, lying and being in Esquimalt District in the Province of British Columbia, and being composed of Lot Thirteen (13), Block Four (4), Viewfield Farm, containing 3 35-100 acres more or less.

Further particulars and conditions made known at the time of sale, or on application to the undersigned.

Dated this 31st day of May, 1893.

HERBERT CUTHBERT,
Auctioneer,
OR

BELYEA & GREGORY,
Solicitors for The Yorkshire Guarantee & Securities Corporation, Limited, the Assignees of the said Mortgage. je1



NAVAL AUCTION SALE.

Wednesday, June 14th, 1893.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

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will sell by public auction at the

NAVAL YARD, ESQUIMALT,

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